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CHINA URGES ACTION
Nanking Invokes the Nine-Power Treaty

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FAMOUS AIRMAN INJURED

SCHNEIDER PILOT IN MISHAP

HIS SECOND IN A MONTH

London, Sept. 19.

Flight Lieutenant Stainforth, the famous Schneider Trophy pilot and the holder of the world's air speed record of 407.5 miles an hour, met with his second accident in a month to-day.

He was injured in a flying mishap while alighting in a field at the Lizard, Cornwall, where he is a guest of the well-known civil aviation expert, The Master of Sempill.

Lieut. Stainforth was carrying a passenger in his machine and both suffered injuries, though in neither case are they reported to be serious.

Stainforth was flying near Reading, Berks, recently when the propellor of a machine he was testing came off. He was at a tremendous height at the time of the accident, fortunately, and he glided fourteen miles to safety, landing perfectly on the outskirts of the town and did not suffer a scratch.—*British Wireless.*

THE LONDON BUS STRIKE OFF

L.G.O.C. DROP WAGE CUT PROGRAMME

London, Sept. 20.

The London bus strike, which was fixed to begin on Thursday this week, has been averted.

A meeting of the Busmen's Conference held last night decided to refer the modified proposals of the London General Omnibus Company to their branches with a recommendation of acceptance.

The Company, in their modified proposals, have abandoned the plan to reduce the wages of drivers and conductors.—*Reuter.*

TEA FIRMS WANT MORE

HIGHER PREFERENCE URGED

London, Sept. 20.

The question of providing a higher preference for Empire teas which despite the existing preferential duty are in a more depressed state that before the Budget has been raised by several firms of growers.

According to the *Morning Post*, they have addressed a letter to the Indian Tea Association requesting that it take advisory steps with the Government and recommending a higher preferential duty, with the alternative of a quota system for Dutch tea.—*Reuter.*

PREMIER'S VISIT TO LONDON

INTERVIEW WITH SIR JOHN SIMON

London, Sept. 19.

The Prime Minister, who is staying at Chequers pending the wedding to-morrow of his daughter, paid a visit to London to-day and had an interview with the Foreign Secretary, Sir John Simon, who will leave to-morow for Geneva to attend the meeting

Quo Tai-chi.

KOREA'S FATE CITED

STRONGLY-WORDED NOTES

PUPPET STATE'S FUTURE

GENEVA, SEPT. 19.

"JAPAN IS FOLLOWING THE PRECEDENT OF KOREA AND HAS ESTABLISHED A VIRTUAL PROTECTORATE IN MANCHURIA AS A STEP TOWARDS ANNEXATION.

"Japan has thus set the seal upon her policy of tearing up international treaties and virtually rejects in advance the Lytton Report," declares Dr. W. W. Yen, the Chinese delegate to the League, in a letter dated Saturday to Sir Eric Drummond, the Secretary-General.

Dr. Yen appeals to the Council to hasten action in order to uphold the decisions of the League. He adds that the Chinese Government remains as ever ready to discuss an equitable solution of the dispute, but must strongly condemn the policy pursued by Japan to detach Manchuria from China.—*Reuter and British Wireless.*

FEATURES OF NOTE TO BRITAIN

London, Sept. 19.

The Chinese Note on the recognition of Manchukuo by Japan, which was handed to Sir John Simon at the Foreign Office by Mr. Quo Tai-chi, the new Chinese Minister in London, to-day, follows much the same lines as the communication received at Geneva.

The Note claims that a serious situation has been precipitated by Japan's recognition of the Manchukuo Government "constituting a direct violation of China's sovereignty, as well as her territorial and administrative integrity."

VIRTUAL PROTECTORATE.

The Nanking Foreign Office describes Japan's action in Manchuria as an attempt to establish a virtual Protectorate over that part of China's territory and says that Japan has attempted to deceive the world by advancing the ridiculous argument that the so-called Manchukuo was brought into existence by Chinese citizens who desired to secede from the Chinese Republic.

The undeniable facts show, the Note goes on, that the bogus government in Manchuria is the product of Japanese military aggression, pure and simple.

JAPANESE DICTATION.

It is pointed out that great numbers of Japanese officials, who are directly responsible to the Japanese Government in Tokyo are dictating the policies of the puppet administrative organisation in Manchuria, while the masses in Manchuria are under the constant oppression and intimidation by Japanese militarists.

When the Japanese troops are withdrawn from Manchuria, China claims, Manchukuo will vanish completely.

SCRAP OF PAPER.

Concluding, the Note regards it as inconceivable that the Japanese action should go unchallenged and that the Nine-Power Treaty should be treated by the signatories as a scrap of paper.

The peace of the world, it declares, is ominously threatened. China therefore requests the Powers properly and effectively to deal with Japanese aggression in Manchuria.

Identical Notes have been sent to the other signatories of the Nine-Power Treaty.—*Reuter.*

NO POCKET FOR TOBACCO

WOMAN'S EXCUSE IN COURT

A young woman, Kong Pik-yuen, on her arrival here from up-river, was arrested yesterday by Revenue searchers on the waterfront, carrying a quantity of Chinese tobacco on which duty was not paid.

The woman told the Court today that she brought down the tobacco for her own consumption, and was not at all non-plussed when it was pointed out that tobacco for that purpose should have been kept in her pocket.

"I have no pockets to my jacket," she promptly replied.

Revenue Officer Ward said there was nothing previously known against the woman, except that she was running away from her husband.

SAFETY OF LIFE AT SEA

CONVENTIONS TO BE RATIFIED

London Sept. 19.

The International Convention for the Safety of Life at Sea and the International Load Line Convention will be ratified by His Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom and by the majority of other signatory Governments on October 1st and will come into operation in this and other ratifying countries which have already ratified or agreed to ratify on October 1st.

These include, in the case of the Safety Convention, Canada, Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Italy, Netherlands, Norway, Spain and Sweden, and in the case of the Load Line Convention, Canada Denmark, Finland, France, Italy, Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway,

HURRICANE HAVOC

ENORMOUS DAMAGE IN BAHAMAS

TOWNS RUINED

London, Sept. 19.

Complete destruction of a flourishing township is a feature of the enormous havoc created by a hurricane which has swept through the Bahamas.

The Secretary of State for the Colonies has received a telegram from the Governor giving graphic details of the terrific windstorm.

The gale carried all before it. Remarkably high winds were experienced over a wide area, reaching unprecedented velocity in Abaci Island, where the town of Greenturtle Bay was demolished and Hopetown was partially demolished.

Bluff Point and two other settlements were practically ruined.

The casualties were comparatively light considering the damage, numbering 14 killed and between 60 and 70 injured, including five who were drowned by the accompanying tidal wave.

The medical position is well in hand but Government and private buildings have suffered severe damage.—*British Wireless.*

TRADE MARK BAIL DIFFICULTY

ACCUSED CALLED A "MAN OF STRAW"

A Chinese who, according to his legal representative, owns a unit battery factory and is the plaintiff in two impending actions before the Summary Court, to-day at the Central Police Court, before Mr. Wynne Jones, pleaded his inability to find the $500 bail required of him when he was remanded on a charge of trade marks infringement.

"He is a man of straw, if he cannot find that bail," remarked his Worship.

Mr. Horace Lo, for Fung Chan, the defendant, explained that in the civil actions, one of which would be heard before the Summary Court to-morrow, the accused was pressing a claim for goods delivered to the extent of over a thousand dollars, besides which he had been long-established in business in the Colony.

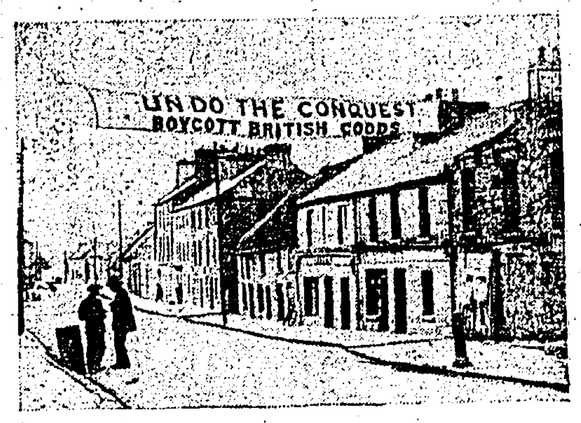
The amount asked for was beyond the accused's means at the moment, said Mr. Lo, who suggested that it was more usual to proceed by summons than by the arrest and charging of the accused, which occurred suddenly yesterday.

Mr. Lo further disclosed that in the Summary Court actions, his firm would be appearing for the accused as the plaintiff, and the firm of which Mr. F. C. E. Rendall was a member would be acting for the defendants in those actions and also on a counter-claim. Mr. Rendall now represented Lo Man-fai in the Police Court case with which they were presently concerned.

Mr. Rendall stated that in the civil actions security was also being required of the accused, because enquiries had failed to establish his business address. It would appear, said Mr. Rendall, that he had cleared out of the place where he had been carrying on business after he had been indebted to his landlord for a considerable sum.

"He is a man of straw indeed," said Mr. Rendall.

His Worship consented to bail being reduced [illegible] to the



A fight to a finish has been declared by Free State Ministers, coincidentally with Mr. de Valera's departure for Geneva. Every method is being employed to defeat Britain in the economic war. Photo above was taken at Loughrea in Co. Galway.

CABINET BREACH SPECULATION

IMPORTANT MEETING NEXT WEEK.

London, Sept. 19.

A meeting of the Cabinet to begin final consideration of the legislation arising out of the Ottawa Agreements has been summoned for September 28th.

Ministers now on holiday will, by that time, have returned to London and Sir John Simon will also be back from Geneva.

Meanwhile, the recent meetings of the Liberal Ministers continue to give rise to speculation, particularly in the Liberal press, regarding their attitude towards the Ottawa agreements. No official announcement on the subject is likely until after the Cabinet meeting.—*British Wireless.*

BROWN RETAINS TITLE

GLASGOW OPPONENT DISQUALIFIED

London, Sept. 19.

In a keen contest at Manchester to-night, Jackie Brown successfully defended his British flyweight championship title.

His opponent, Jim Maharg (Glasgow) was disqualified in the eighth round for hitting low.—*Reuter.*

BIG FIGHT POSTPONED.

New York, Sept. 19.

The contest arranged between Mickey Walker and Max Schmeling, the German heavyweight champion, has been postponed until September 26. A boil has developed on Walker's arm and he cannot go into the ring for a week.—*Reuter.*

STOP PRESS.

LIU IN RETREAT

Peking, Sept. 20.

The latest Chinese message from Tsinanfu states that after evacuating Pintu, General Liu Chen-ning has retreated to Yehhsien, where he is still holding out. General Han Fu-chu it at present directing operations at Changl.—*Reuter.*

TATE WELL AGAIN

TO CATCH UP WITH M.C.C. TEAM

London, Sept. 19.

Maurice Tate will go to Australia. All doubts on this score have now been dispelled.

It was officially announced by the M.C.C. today that Tate has undergone a medical examination and has been pronounced almost fit.

He will report at Lord's on Wednesday for his passport and will catch a train on Thursday, travelling overland to join the other members of the M.C.C. Australian team aboard the Orontes at Toulon or Naples.

Had Tate been unable to travel, it would have been a very severe loss to the England side, the inability of R.W.V. Robins to make the trip leaving a gap which only Tate could fill satisfactorily.—*Reuter.*

TRESPASSING ON A CRUISER

TWO INTRUDERS SENT TO PRISON

Two Chinese appeared before Mr. Schofield at the Central Police Court this morning on charges of trespassing on board H.M.S. Devonshire, lying alongside the Naval Dockyard yesterday afternoon.

According to Detective Inspector C. R. Rozeskwy, a "boy" on board the Devonshire was sent to an officer's cabin, and, on opening the door, he saw a Chinese inside, with his hand on a drawer. The man dashed out of the room and disappeared from sight. A report of the incident was made, and orders were given to prevent any Chinese from leaving the ship. The defendants were later arrested as they were about to leave the the ship. The "boy" was unable to recognise either of the defendants as being the man seen in the officer's cabin.

The defendants had previously been convicted of boarding a ship without permission, while the second had also been convicted of assault. The first man was given a sentence of six weeks' hard labour and the second seven weeks' imprisonment.

For driving up Wyndham Street without the permission in writing of the I.G.P., Miss C. W. Fra[illegible]

CABINET'S VIEWS

CONVEYED TO THE PRESIDENT

"COMPELLING REASON" FOR DEMANDS

ITALIAN STAND

(Telegraph Special.)

Berlin, Sept. 20.

Profound disappointment has been caused throughout Germany by the stand taken in the British memorandum on Germany's claim to equality of amaments.

Germany expected that the British Government would be more conciliatory than is shown in the Note and would, at least, offer to mediate between Germany and France.

President Hindenburg this morning received Captain von Papen's report and the views of the Cabinet on the British Note.

COMPELLING REASON.

A Government spokesman said to-day: "It goes almost without saying that Germany cannot accept the British reasoning that Germany, without a compelling reason, has raised a political issue of vast implications."

Italy is known to favour Germany's claim, but the latest message from Rome indicates that despite Italy's support of the German demands, a further examination of the British statement has resulted in a more favourable impression in official circles.

Well-informed circles feel that the Note opens the door to negotiations which may lead to a solution acceptable to all parties.—*Reuter.*

MR. HENDERSON'S APPEAL.

Geneva, Sept. 19.

A strong appeal to the German Government to reconsider their decision involving withdrawal from the Disarmament Conference has been addressed to Berlin by Mr. Arthur Henderson, the President of the Conference.

Mr. Henderson, who is now in Geneva preparing for Wednesday's session of the Bureau, says that Germany's prolonged absence from the deliberations may seriously affect the cause of general disarmament.—*Reuter.*

AMERICAN ATTITUDE.

Washington, Sept. 19.

"The United States regret that Germany has chosen this time to advance an arms equality claim, as it may hinder world disarmament."

This view was expressed to-day by a high official of the State Department, who emphasised, however, that European political problems did not form a subject of consideration by the United States, except insofar as they had a bearing on the arms conference.

FEBRUARY MORE IMPORTANT.

It is felt in Washington, however, that a way may be found of bringing back Germany into the Arms Conference before the February disarmament meeting, preparations for which are still continuing.—*Reuter.*

Banished on September 14th this year after a conviction for larceny and another for a breach of the Opium Ordinance, a Chinese was arrested yesterday and charged before Mr. Fraser at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning.

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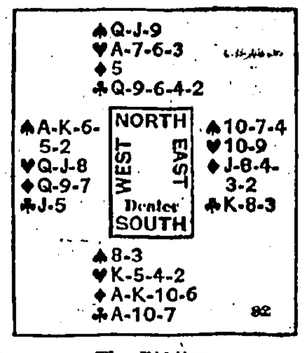
CONTRACT BRIDGE

By W. E. McKenney

To be rated as a good card player, one must be able to handle the defence well. After a certain amount of practice one can become proficient in playing the hand as declarer, but the problems confronting the defensive player are constantly changing.

I believe that the first and most important rule for a defensive player to follow is—don't take a chance on trying to make a trick if it will jeopardize your opportunity of setting a contract. The following hand has a very simple play—yet one that is often overlooked.



The Bidding

South bid one diamond. As explained to you a few days ago, you will find a change in the bidding of original no trumps. South's hand does not justify a no trump as the spade suit is not stopped, therefore the hand must be bid one diamond. West would bid one spade.

North would be justified in showing the spade suit stopped with a bid of one no trump—possibly it is a little dangerous to bid a no trump with the suit stopped only once, but he has a five-card suit that may fit in with partner's hand. Now South, after a bid of one no trump by partner, would be justified in jumping to three no trump.

The Play

It would be East's opening lead. His correct play is the top of his partner's suit—the ten of spades. Now West has two possible entries—the queen of diamonds and a heart, but he can also see that the declarer might make two hearts, two diamonds and several club tricks. The only way that he can hope to stop the hand is to find his partner with the club suit stopped, so he must not play his ace or king of spades to the first trick.

If he plays the king to the first trick, and follows with the ace, the declarer will win the third round of spades, and then East will not be able to return a spade.

However, if West plays a small spade, North, the declarer, will be forced to win the first spade trick. He will then have to lead a small club to dummy's ace and will return a club to his queen which East will win with the king and then West will be able to run off his four spade trick and defeat the declarer's contract.

A simple defensive play—the losing of one trick early in order to gain several.

DISCOUNT RATE.

IMMEDIATE REDUCTION EXPECTED IN BERLIN

Berlin, Sept. 19.

An immediate reduction in the discount rate is expected, following the decision in principle by the Bank of International Settlement at Basle, to rescind Article 29 of the Reichsbank law, thus giving the Reichsbank a free hand as regards the discount rate.—*Reuter.*

[A reduction from five to four per cent. was foreshadowed last week.]

FUNERAL OF LATE MR. COPPIN

HUNDREDS OF WREATHS AT GRAVESIDE

A large section of the community attend the funeral of the late Mr. A. G. Coppin last evening. Wreaths were piled high around the base of the Monument—a mark of the great esteem in which the late Mr. Coppin was held.

The Very Rev. Dean Swann conducted the graveside service.

Those present at the graveside included The Chief Justice (Sir Joseph Kemp), the Attorney General (Hon. Mr. G. G. Alabaster), Hon. Mr. A. E. Wood, Hon. Mr. W. E. L. Shenton, Hon. Mr. J. J. Paterson, Hon. Mr. E. Taylor, Hon. Mr. J. Owen Hughes, Rev. G. T. Waldegrave, Dr. F. Bunje Dr. Hahn, Messrs G. P. Lammert, P. Jacks, A. M. Bowes-Smith, C. W. Jeffries, B. D. Evans, W. A. Butterfield, W. A. Dowley, M. Montargis, L. Dunbar A. H. Ferguson, L.C.F. Bellamy, J. O. Sheppard, J. Finlay Miller, H. R. Forsyth, V. Sorby, P. D. Wilson, C. L. Sandes, H. R. B. Hancock, J. W. C. Bonnar, E. Lewis, F. M. Ellis, S. Berg, G. Harriman, F. P. Franklin, A. Hicks, G. Wetton, H. A. Pearson, S. Langston, R. Y. Frost, C. J. Cooke, S. S. Perry, F. H. Crapnell, L. J. Blackburn, G. Archbutt, H. Buxton, Denis Hazell, P. C. Potts, S. T. Butlin, F. Lobel, A. C. Ellis, G. Miskin, C. Blaker, A. O. Smith, H. Hills, D. L. Strellett, H. G. Williams, M. J. Quist, H. Ammann, J. A. Plummer, E. des Voeux, V. M. Grayburn, E. W. Hamilton, R. A. Rodgers, C. Jenkin, K. S. Morrison, A. Harropp, C. A. da Roza, H. E. Stone, E. Stone, E. Abraham, F. H. Mody, S. A. Sleap, C. Champkin.

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Mrs. S. A. R. Kitchell

The funeral of the late Mrs. Kitchell took place at the Mohammedan Cemetery yesterday and was attended by a large gathering. Those present included Dr. H. el Arculli, Messrs. S. H. Burgh, E. el Arculli, H. M. H. Hajee Esmail, D. Rumjahn, A. M. Rumjahn, A. Rahman Abbas, A. O. Madar, S. D. Mehal, K. S. Mehal, A. M. Abbas, R. Nazarin, A. R. Abbas, A. H. Madar, M. P. Madar, A. R. Dallah and E. R. Markar.

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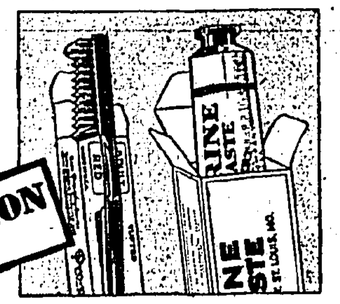

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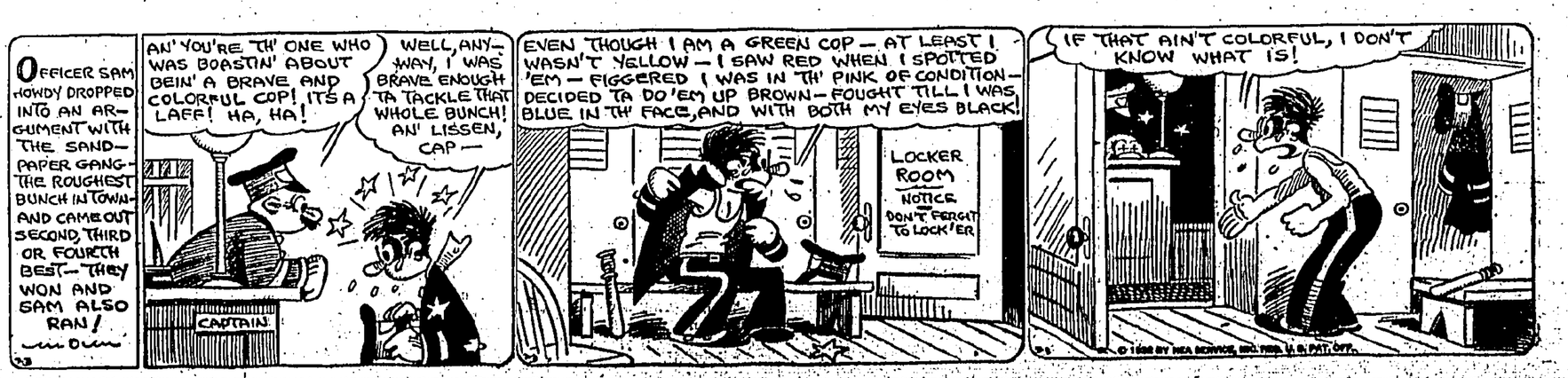
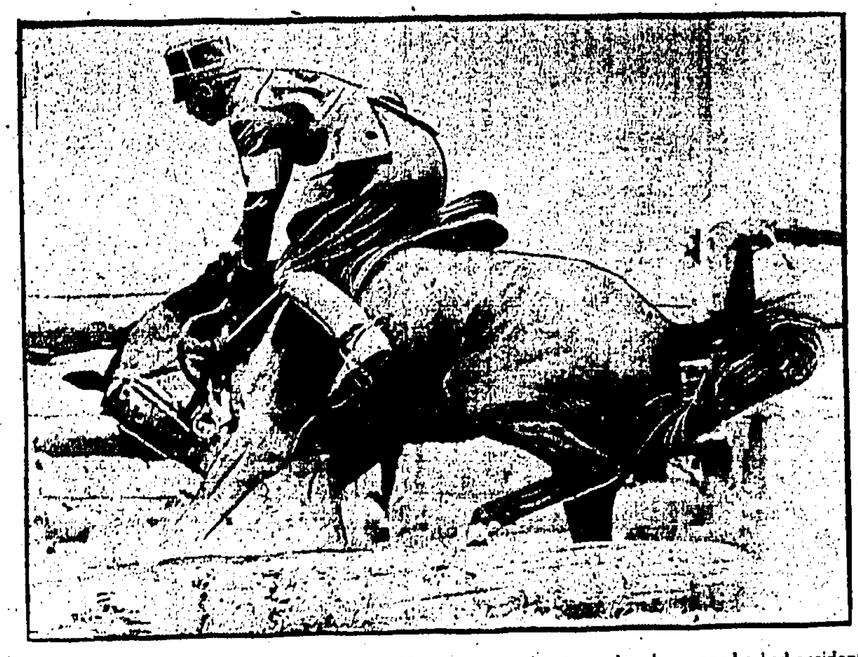
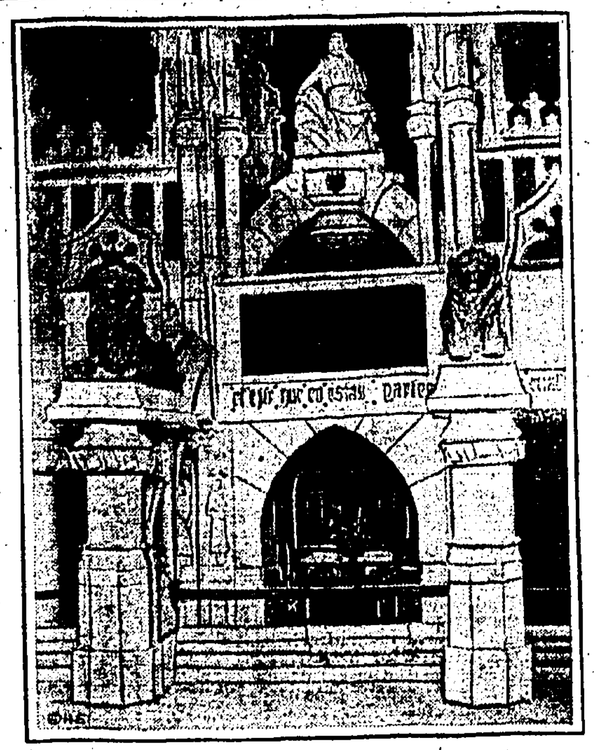
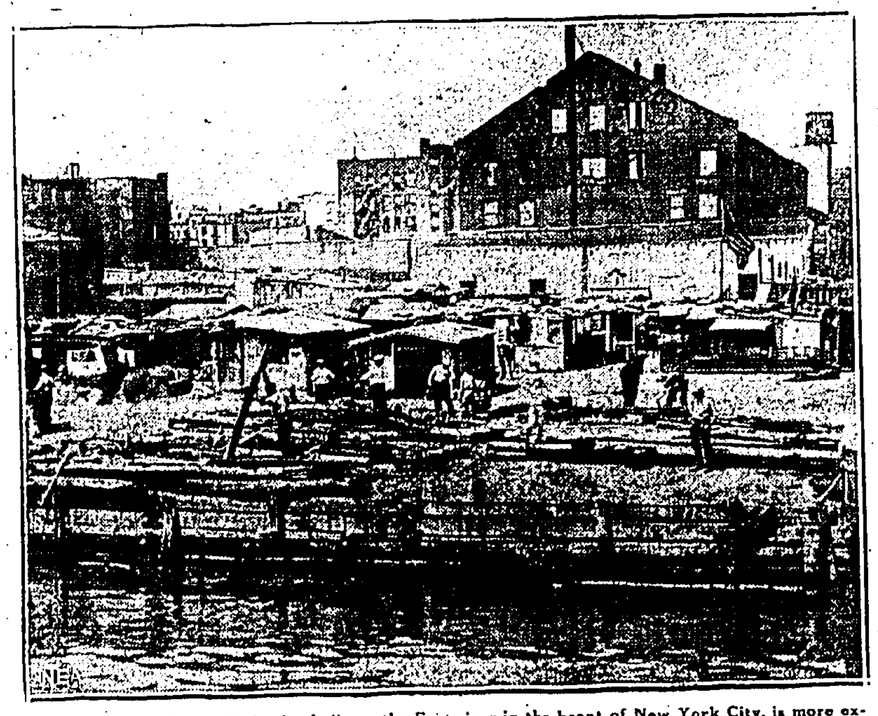




Lieut Arne Francke of the Swedish Olympic equestrian team, barely escaped a bad accident during the endurance steeplechase when his horse, Fridolin, balked at one of the jumps. An alert cameraman caught this picture just as the horse stopped. Francke then backed up the hore and made the jump.



The magnificent marble monument in the cathedral at Santo Domingo in which lie the bones of Christopher Columbus. The monument was built after Columbus' remains were discovered in the old cathedral in 1877.



This community of 60 shacks, built on the East river in the heart of New York City, is more exclusive than it looks. It is inhabited by jobless men who have their own mayor, community commissary, street cleaning squad and vigilante committee. No Communists are allowed in the settlement, over which an American flag is hoisted each day. Driftwood serves for fuel and building material; the river is their bath house; and odd jobs and donations of food allow the men to eke out a living.

General Nobuyoshid Muto, new commander of the Kwantung army. Inducted into his new post by Emperor Hirohito at an impressive ceremony in the imperial Villa at Nasu, General Muto succeeded General Honjo. General Muto is also special envoy to Manchukuo.

Felicitations from all parts of the world came to Mme. Nicholas Horthy de Nagybanya, wife of the virtual ruler of Hungary, on her birthday recently, when this portrait was taken. Since 1920, her husband has been regent of Hungary, a monarchy with a vacant throne.

Kaye Don, who was secretly married at the end of last week.

LEAP YEAR BRIDE

by Laura Lou BROOKMAN

BEGIN HERE TO-DAY

Cherry Dixon, pretty 19-year-old daughter of wealthy parents, marries Dan Phillips, newspaper reporter, after a quarrel with her parents. It is a Leap Year marriage and Cherry does the proposing.

She and Dan move into a cheap apartment and Cherry's first struggles with housework are discouraging. Dixie Shannon, movie critic of the News, is friendly. Cherry meets handsome Max Pearson, also of the News, who tries to make love to her. After several weeks Cherry's mother becomes seriously ill. The girl goes home and there is a reconciliation with her parents. Pride will not allow her to accept financial aid from them however. Mr. and Mrs. Dixon depart, seeking another climate to improve the mother's health.

Brenda Vail, magazine writer, comes to Wellington and Dan meets her. She asks him to collabroate in writing a play. Dan begins to spend most of his evenings at Miss Vail's apartment. Discord arises between Cherry and Dan. He agrees to meet her for lunch one day but fails to appear. Later she sees him with Brenda.

Cherry accuses Dan of deceiving her and they quarrel. He leaves the apartment and when he returns Cherry is gone. A week passes in which he does not hear from her. Dan asks Brenda to go to New York with him. She agree to go—in a week.

CHAPTER XLIV.

Brenda Vail spread more of the bulish-grey paste on her face. She smeared it on like a mask beginning at the edge of the towel, pinned tightly about her forehead, and working downward to the base of her neck. She patted the soft, wet compound with her fingers and when she had finished only her eyes and mouth showed. The eyes looked like slits in the grey mask. Brenda's lips, usually so vividly crimson, were pallid and pressed together in a tight line. Selfish lips. Quick tempered lips. Cruel lips.

At last the mask was done and Brenda inspected herself in the mirror of the dressing table. Though the effect was far from flattering she seemed satisfied.

Here in the privacy of her bedroom Brenda had abandoned the luxurious chiffons and satins she usually wore. A cotton kimona, faded and soiled, was draped about her, fastened at the waist by a safety pin. Her hair was concealed by the turban-like towel. Shapeless bedroom slippers covered her feet.

She rose from the dressing table, went to the chaise longue and lay back against it with a sigh. The mask must remain on for a good 30 minutes and the watch said a little after two o'clock. Brenda closed her eyes, relaxing as magazine articles by beauty experts always advise.

There was no one else in the room or in the apartment. The maid who wore the crisp, grey uniform and ruffled cap appeared there only when Miss Vail had visitors to impress. Her name was Minnie Johnson, though on duty she answered to "Yvonne." was to arrive this afternoon at four o'clock.

Ten minutes passed and then a bell shrilled loudly. The telephone in the next room. Brenda's eyes darkened with annoyance.

There was nothing for her to do, however, but arise and answer the call. The heelless bedroom slippers flopped clumsily as Brenda walked.

She had to push back the cloth about her head so that she could hold the instrument to her ear. It was a French telephone done in ivory enamel.

"Hello," she said.

Dan Phillips was speaking. His voice sounded eager and excited. "Is that you, Brenda?" he asked and went on without giving her time to reply. "Wanted to tell you I've just seen the boss. Told him I was through with the *Wellington News* and this town, too. I'm quitting Saturday. Everything's all settled—"

"You mean you've given up your job?"

"Sure. Why not? I had to quit if we leave for New York Saturday, didn't I? I thought you'd be glad to hear it! It won't be long now, Brenda!"

There was no change of expression on the woman's face. The clay mask made that impossible. But resentment sounded in her voice.

"Don't you think you should have waited?" she asked.

"There's nothing to wait for! Say, I feel better already. Listen, Brenda, I want to talk to you. Suppose I drop around as near to five as I can make it? We'll have dinner together—"

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She interrupted. "Not this evening. I've been having a beastly headache. I'm going to lie down and try to sleep. That's what I was doing when you called."

"Oh, I'm sorry! Shouldn't have bothered you. Maybe if you have some rest you'll feel better."

"I hope so." Instinctively Brenda's voice had become the delicate, faintly martyred tone of the invalid.

"Then I won't keep you any longer. Will it be all right if I call back early in the evening? I do want to see you to-night."

Brenda started to say "no," hesitated, and qualified by telling him that he might telephone. She couldn't promise to see him though because her head was raging—

"And, like an imbecile, I keep you there talking. Forgive me! Goodbye, Brenda. I hop you feel a lot better soon."

She said "goodbye"—almost too cheerfully—and put down the telephone.

Brenda let the grey mask remain on her face another 10 minutes. Then she applied steaming hot cloths until the ugly clay was removed. The beautifying began in earnest now. Lotions and creams and cubes of ice. Brenda worked with practiced fingers. She patted and moulded and smoothed out the tiny lines about her eyes and across her forehead. She finished with stinging ointment that brought colour rushing to her cheeks. It was an hour's work but when it was completed undeniably the years had dropped away. Almost Brenda could have passed for 26 instead of 36.

She glanced at her watch again. Twenty-five minutes until four. Well, that was time enough. Yvonne would come in time to arrange the tea table.

There was a desk to the right of the window and Brenda sat down before it. Half a dozen letters lay on the desk. All of them had been opened and in five the contents was strikingly similar. "On account due from Miss Brenda Vail" most of them began. One was from the management of the apartment hotel. Another was from a New York dress shop. There was a bank statement, imposing in its long envelope, but the figures on that statement were anything but impressive.

She passed over all these, picking up a letter on buff coloured. Thick expensive looking stationary. The handwriting on the sheet inside the envelope was masculine. It read:

"Dear Miss Vail: I will be in Wellington next Monday on my way to Hollywood and hope to see you to discuss screen rights of the stories about which I wrote before. My time necesarily will be limited and I am taking the liberty to ask if I may call on you at about 4:30. Since I must reach the studio Wednesday my stop in Wellington will be only between trains. I am hopeful that we may come to an agreement that will be mutually satisfactory. With sincerest regards.—M. P. Harris."

That was the note Brenda read. When she looked up her eyes were lighted with radiance far more effective than any beauty pack.

"He's coming!" she whispered aloud. "Brenda Vail, you're having your chance to-day. You can't fail now! You can't!"

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She was on her feet, suddenly transformed into a flame of energy. There was much to be done yet. Dozens of things? What about those flowers? The man had promised they would be delivered early and here it was nearly four! Yvonne should be preparing the tea things!

Brenda flounced to the dressing table for last minute touches of rouge and powder puff. She applied the lip rouge with trembling fingers. It smudged, had to be removed and done over again. She adjusted dangling gold ear drops, sprayed her hair with scent and got into the costume spread out before—immediately on receipt of Mr. Harris letter—and was exactly Brenda Vail's idea of attire suitable in which to receive an important figure of the motion picture world. The jade green velvet fell into graceful trousers.

The bodice moulded her figure closely and was accented by a girdle of cloth of gold. Brenda fastened the low neckline with a ruby clasp. She stepped into sandals of gold kid and buckled the straps. Bills, bills! There would be more bills for this new finery but what was expenses on such an occasion?"

"I'm going to Hollywood!" The thought danced madly in Brenda's mind. There would be money

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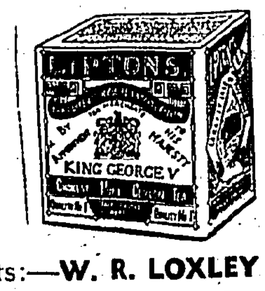

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The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 25th to the 28th day of SEPTEMBER, 1932, both days inclusive.

Dated the 19th day of September, 1932.

By Order of the Board,
CHAS. S. ROSSELET,
Secretary.

H.K. REEL CLUB.

CREDIT BALANCE REPORTED AT ANNUAL MEETING

A balance of $410.98 was reported at the annual meeting of the Hongkong Reel Club at the Helena May Institute last evening, Mr. A. Stevenson presiding.

The report of the chairman stated: "Twenty-four members have resigned from the Club, 48 new members have joined and four ex-members have rejoined—our membership is now 108. An "At Home" was held at Messrs. Lane, Crawford's Restaurant, on November 16, when a varied programme of exhibition and competitive dances was successfully completed. Dances were held at Messrs. Lane, Crawford's Restaurant, on November 6 and January 22. The first dance was attended by a large number of members and friends, but the second was not so successful. We are much indebted to Pipe Major Mackie for very valuable tuition during the past season. Instruction was given in foursome and eightsome reels, Highland Fling, Sword Dance, Highland Schottische and Caledonians. The Dashing White Sergeant and Petronella were tried with great success. We regret the departure of our President Mr. R. O. Sutherland who left the Colony in April. Mr. Sutherland was responsible for the Club in 1925 and acted as Hon. Secretary for several years. The accounts have been audited by Messrs. H. R. Forsyth and D. L. Prophet to whom our thanks are due.

The accounts showed a credit balance of $410.98, compared with $397.68 last year and $262.59 in 1930.

The following officers were elected:—President, Mr. T. P. Saunderson; vice-presidents, Miss F. Stevenson and Mr. H. R. Forsyth; committee Misses. C. Ferguson, J. H. Dalziel, Mrs. H. H. Scott; Messrs. J. Bulloch, J. J. Forbes and H. C. Watson; hon. secretary, Mr. D. Black; hon. treasurer, Mr. A. McKellar.

PRIZE GIVING.

PROGRESS & WORK OF SACRED HEART SCHOOL

Before distributing the prizes to the successful boys at the Sacred Heart English School, which celebrated its 10th. anniversary yesterday, Dr. Asjoe Ho in a little speech encouraged the boys to study hard, adding that happiness could only be obtained through honest effort.

He said:—"The only salvation for you, which ultimately means for China, is to recognize the all important fact, that work is not a degrading thing. No matter what successes you may obtain in the classroom and no matter how many diplomas you are going to get, you cannot call yourself a citizen of China until you have learned to work and honour work.

"Before concluding I wish to congratulate Mr. Shak and his faculty on the wonderful success of this college, which evidently came through hard work. My congratulations to the prize winners and I hope the rest of you will persevere in your studies."

The Headmaster, Mr. J. S. Shak thanked Dr. Ho for his kindness in distributing the prizes, adding that Dr. Ho was not only a medical man but also a linguist speaking no less than five foreign languages.

"Dr. Ho's personality and profound skill win for him both honour and fame, and his presence here to-night no doubt contributes to heighten the festivities of the function and stimulate our students to work harder and further their efforts," he said.

Year Under Review.

Mr. Shak, in his report for the year said:

"The school was opened on 229 days. The average attendance during the year was 92 per cent. The maximum enrolment was 289.

"In the Junior Local Examination of the University the school had quite good results. Out of the four students who entered for the examination two passed and one obtained distinction in English History. We are glad to add here that he is the only boy candidate in the colony who obtained distinction in History.

"In order that we may be able to teach the young folks the work for which they are fitted and enable them to carry out that work, we have set up this college and it may be of interest to you to learn that since its inception it has been our aim not only to give our boys intellectual and physical training but also to make them learn self-reverence, self-knowledge, and self-control without which they are not capable of educating themselves by the time they have become men, and in consequence they are not useful citizens in future. With a view to providing education for the boys who are desirous of pursuing their studies in the school but unable to do so for financial reasons scholarships are awarded, and there are at present 15 free students in the school besides those who pay reduced fees.

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"I am also thankful to Mr. J. Smith for his donation in the form of a Scholarship and the following gentlemen for their handsome donations and prizes—The British American Tobacco Co., Sir Shouson Chow, Hon. Mr. W. E. L. Shenton, F. H. Mody Esq., Jardine Matheson and Co., A. S. Watson and Co., the Sincere Co., Hon. Mr. P. Lauder, Mr. F. X. d'Almada, L. G. Bird Esq., The Sun Co., Tan Eng Hooi Esq., Banque Franco Chinoise, Bank of China, A. Friend."

The boys and their parents and friends enjoyed a musical concert in which the different items of music and dancing were rendered by the boys, while the band of the Chung Shing Benevolent Society played selections at intervals.

RUSSIAN DANCERS.

PROGRAMME AT PENINSULA HOTEL CONTINUES

The accomplished Russian dancers, Miss Tania Svetlanova and Mr. Alex Salnikoff, who are appearing in the Roof Garden of the Peninsula Hotel during the dinner dance there every week-day night in exhibition dances, provided three new numbers from their large repertoire last Saturday which are being continued during this week. These dances are "A Soldier's Love" (Comic); "Acrobatic Tango" and "Hungarian Czardas", the last-named a solo dance by Miss Tania Svetlanova.

The exhibition of exceedingly clever dancing displays by these versatile artistes last Saturday, before a large attendance of diners, was accorded well-earned tributes, and by special request their famous "Snake Dance" was repeated. These performances are scheduled to carry on for some time longer.

DE VALERA IN LONDON

QUIET ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE

London, Sept. 19.

The unostentatious arrival of Mr. de Valera in London and his departure for Geneva a few hours later, belied the expectation that he might profit by the opportunity to see members of the Cabinet.

Shortly after his arrival at Euston he drove to Victoria Station where he breakfasted and remained at an hotel until the arrival of the Continental train.—*Reuter.*

HOME FOR THE AGED.

MR. AW BOON-HAW DONATES A NEW BUILDING

Mr. Aw Boon-haw, prominent Chinese millionaire druggist and philanthropist, who is visiting Hongkong on a tour to inspect his business connexions in Hongkong, Swatow and Shanghai, has signified his intention to contribute $40,000 for the building of a new house to provide accommodation for 125 persons at the Home for the Aged in Kowloon City.

The latter charitable institution is managed by the Little Sisters of the Poor, in Saikung Road, where Rev. Mother Gabrielle de St. Hyacinthe is the Superior, together with eleven Sisters who look after over 100 old and homeless persons.

Mr. Aw Boon-haw is well known for his assistance to Homes for the Aged and to hospital work. In Rangoon there are two Aged Homes which were started through his assistance, while in recent times he donated $380,000 for the opening of a Chinese hospital in Nanking and $50,000 for the Canton Military Hospital, which is under construction.

To Visit Swatow.

Mr. Aw Boon-haw, who has spent recently thousands of dollars in assisting the old and unemployed Chinese to return to Kwangtung and Fukien from the Straits Settlements is well known among the Fukienese in Swatow and Amoy.

He told a representative of the *S. C. M. Post* yesterday that in 1931 his Company purchased a big site at Swatow for the construction of a factory, but the work was delayed owing to the Shanghai disturbances. He expected that construction would commence in the near future. Drugs produced in the Swatow Factory would supply the demand in the cities of the Far East and overseas Chinese in America.

Asked by our representative whether he considered visiting Shanghai next week to see Mayor Wu Tieh-chen in connexion with the reported construction of another factory in Shanghai, Mr. Aw Boon-haw replied that he might stay in Hongkong for another few weeks, because he found the climate here suitable for his health. In Shanghai he would study conditions there first before venturing on the factory scheme.

Mr. Aw also interests himself in newspaper work and is the sole owner of one of the leading Chinese daily newspapers in Singapore and one at Swatow.

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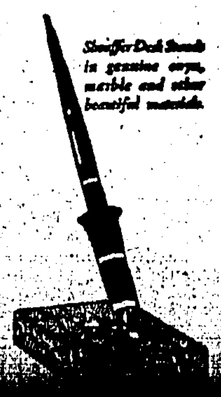

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INWARD MAILS.

From	Per	Due
Calcutta and Straits	Tilawa	September 20.
Shanghai and Swatow	Suiyang	September 21.
Manila	Empress of Canada	September 21.
Europe via Suez (Letters & Papers) London, 25th August, and Parcels, 18th August	Naldera	September 27.
Straits	Nagoya	September 23.
Japan and Shanghai	Ranchi	September 28.
Japan	Atsuta Maru	September 23.
U. S. A., Canada, Japan and Shanghai (Seattle, 3rd September)	Pres. Cleveland	September 23.
Australia and Manila	Kamo Maru	September 24.
Japan	Rio de Janeiro Maru	September 26.
Saigon	Andre Lebon	September 27.
Japan and Shanghai	Athos II	September 27.
Straits	Terukuni Maru	September 27.
Canada, U. S. A., Japan and Shanghai (Vancouver B. C., 10th Sept.)	Emp. of Russia	September 26.
Japan	Sirdhana	September 28.
Japan	Nankin	September 29.

OUTWARD MAILS.

For	Per	Date and Time
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Haining	Tues., Sept. 20, 2 p.m.
Saigon	Halvard	Tues., Sept. 20, 3.30 p.m.
Samshui and Wuchow	Tai Hing	Tues., Sept. 20, 4 p.m.
Manila	Pres. Coolidge	Tues., Sept. 20, 4.30 p.m.
Swatow	Fooshing	Tues., Sept. 20, 5 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan, *Honolulu, U.S.A., *Canada, Central and South America and *Europe via San Francisco	Shinyo Maru	Wed., Sept. 21.
	Reg.,	Sept. 20, 5 p.m.
	Letters,	Sept. 21, 8.30 a.m.
		(Due San Francisco, 14th Oct.)
Tourane	Chung Kong	Wed., Sept. 21, 3.30 p.m.
Amoy	Tai Yuan	Wed., Sept. 21, 3.30 p.m.
Straits	Van Heutsz	Thurs., Sept. 22, 10 a.m.
Amoy and Formosa via Swatow	Deli Maru	Thurs., Sept. 22, 10 a.m.
Shanghai and *Japan	Naldera	Thurs., Sept. 22, 10.30 a.m.
Swatow	Hydrangea	Thurs., Sept. 22, 3 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, Canada, U.S.A., C. and S. America and *Europe via Vancouver B.C. and *Europe via Siberia	Emp. of Canada	Thurs., Sept. 22,
	Parcels,	22nd 3 p.m.
	Registration	22nd 4.15 p.m.
	Letters	22nd 5 p.m.
		(Due Vancouver B.C., 11th October).
Hoihow, Pakhoi and Haiphong	Kingyuan	Fri., Sept. 23, 10.30 a.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Haiyang	Fri., Sept. 23, 1 p.m.
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, East and South Africa, Aden, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles	Ranchi	Sat., Sept. 24.
		K. P. O.
	Parcels,	Sept. 23, 4.30 p.m.
	Reg.,	Sept. 24, 9 a.m.
	Letters,	Sept. 24, 10 a.m.
		G. P. O.
	Parcels,	Sept. 23, 5 p.m.
	Reg.,	Sept. 24, 9.45 a.m.
	Letters,	Sept. 24, 10.30 a.m.
		(Due Marseilles, 21st October)
Manila, Ausfralia and New Zealand via Thursday Island.	Atsuta Maru	Sat., Sept. 24.
	Registration	23rd 5 p.m.
	Letters	24th 8.30 a.m.
		(Due Thursday Island, 6th October.)
Manila	President Cleveland	Sat., Sept. 24, 4.30 p.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Formosa	Canton Maru	Sun., Sept. 25, 9 a.m.
Japan	Kamo Maru	Sun., Sept. 25, 9 a.m.
*Saigon, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, East and South Africa and *South American ports	Rio de Janeiro Maru	Tues., Sept. 27, 10 a.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Haiching	Tues., Sept. 27, 1 p.m.
Fort Bayard, Hoihow, and Pakhoi	Tonkin	Tues., Sept. 27, 1.30 p.m.
Haiphong	Canton	Tues., Sept. 27, 2 p.m.
Shanghai, *Japan and *Europe via Siberia	Andre Lebon	Tues., Sept. 27, 2 p.m.
Letters for "Saigon—Marseilles Air Mail Service."	Athos II.	Tues., Sept. 27.
		K. P. O.
	Reg.,	Sept. 27, Noon.
	Letters,	Sept. 27, Noon.
		G. P. O.
	Reg.,	Sept. 27, 12.30 p.m.
	Letters,	Sept. 27, 1 p.m.
Saigon, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, East and South Africa, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles	Athos II.	Tues., Sept. 27.
		K. P. O.
	Reg.,	Sept. 27, 1 p.m.
	Letters,	Sept. 27, 1 p.m.
		G. P. O.
	Reg.,	Sept. 27, 1.45 p.m.
	Letters,	Sept. 27, 2.30 p.m.
		(Due Marseilles, 28th October.)
Shanghai and Japan	Terukuni Maru	Tues., Sept. 27, 5 p.m.
Sandakan	Hinsang	Wed., Sept. 28, 8.30 a.m.
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, East and South Africa, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles	Antenor	Wed., Sept. 28.
		K. P. O.
	Reg.,	Sept. 28, 1 p.m.
	Letters,	Sept. 28, 1 p.m.
		G. P. O.
	Reg.,	Sept. 28, 1.45 p.m.
	Letters,	Sept. 28, 2.30 p.m.
		(Due Marseilles, 27th October.)
Manila	Emp. of Russia	Wed., Sept. 28, 8.30 p.m.

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A.O.F.C. QUOTATIONS FOR YESTEDAY

New York, Sept. 19.

Dow Jones averages:

	Sept. 17.	Sept. 19.
30 Industrials	66.44	65.06
20 Rails	32.04	31.43
20 Utilities	29.11	28.70

Messrs. E. A. Pierce & Co. report:—There is no reason yet for a change of opinion, but inaction on the buying side is the best policy for the present. Business done:—1,300,000 shares.

	Spt. 17	Sept. 19.
Air Reduction	$54	$53⅝
Allied Chemical & Dye	72	71⅛
American Can	50⅝	48¼
American Telegraph & Telephone	108⅝	108
American Tobacco "B"	74½	73⅝
Anaconda Copper Mining	11½	10⅝
Auburn	50⅝	49
Borden Company	28⅝	27⅝
Canadian Pacific	16½	15⅝
Consolidated Gas of New York	60¼	55¼
Drugs, Inc.	43¼	42
Du Pont de Nemours	36¼	35⅝
Eastman Kodak	52	50⅝
General Electric	16⅞	16½
General Foods	28⅞	28½
General Motors	15⅝	15
International Harvester	22	21⅝
International Tel. & Tel.	9⅝	10⅜
Liggett & Myers "B"	60	59⅜
Loew's Inc.	28⅝	28¾
Pacific Gas & Electric	30	29⅜
Pennsylvania Railway	17½	17⅜
Radio Corporation	8⅜	8
Sears Roebuck	20	19⅝
Standard Oil Co. of New Jersey	31¼	30½
Socony-Vacuum Corp.	10	9⅞
Union Carbide & Carbon	21⅝	23¼
Union Pacific	71	68⅝
United States Steel	38⅝	36¼
Westinghouse E. & M.	28⅝	28⅝

—*Reuter.*

EXCHANGE RATES

	Friday.	Yesterday.
Paris	88⅝	88.21/32
Geneva	18.01½	18.01
Berlin	14.57½	14.19/32
Helsingfors	232½	232½
Oslo	19⅞	19.85
Athens	562½	—
Buenos Aires	Nom.	Nom.
Shanghai	1/9.3/16	
New York	3.47¾	3.47⅝
Amsterdam	8.56	8.65½
Vienna	—	29½
Prague	117½	117½
Madrid	43⅛	—
Bucharest	587½	587½
Hongkong	1/4.3/32	1/4½
Brussels	25.05½	25.07½
Stockholm	—	67.11/16
Copenhagen	19	19.50
Lisbon	110	18.9/32
Rio	5⅝	110
Bombay	1/6.5/32	5.3/16
Yokohama	1/4½	1/6.11/64
Montevido	30	—
Montreal	3.85	385¼
Belgrade	225	227½
Silver (Spot)	17¾	17.11/16
„ (forward)	17⅞	17.13/16

—*British Wireles.*

The person who isn't afraid of being over-burdened is the one who delivers the goods.

SHARE PRICES

TO-DAY'S QUOTATIONS

The following is the list of local share quotations issued to-day:

Banks.
Hongkong Banks, $1590 n.
Hongkong Lon. Reg. £116½ n.
Chartered Banks, £13⅞ n. X. Div.
Mercantile Bank, A. & B. £22¼ n. X. Div.
Mercantile Bank C., £9⅞ n.
East Asia, $109 n.
Am: O. Finance Corp., $28 n.
China O. Fin. Ord., Tls.6 n.
China O. Fin. Pref. Tls.4.60 n.

Insurances.
Canton Ins., $1410 n.
Union Ins. $500 sa.
China Underwriters, $2.85 b.
China Fire, $620 n.
H. K. Fire Ins., $1200 n.
Internation Assce. Tls. 4 b.

Shipping.
Douglases, $26 n.
H.K. Steamboats, $22¾ b.
Indo-Chinas, (Pref.) $45 n.
Indo-Chinas (Def.), $32 n.
Shell (Bearer) 53/1½ n.
Union Waterboats, $21 b.

Mining.
Benguets, $18 b.
Kailans, 28/9 n.
Langkats (Single), Tls.4 n.
S'hai Explorations, Tls.2.10 n.
S'hai Loans, Tls.2.30 n.
Raubs, $40½ n.
Venz: Goldfields, $2.90 b.
Benguet Exp., 20 cts. n.

Docks, etc.
H.K.K. Wharves, $141 b.
H.K. & W. Docks $25 n.
S. China Motors A., $10 n.
S. China Motor B., $8 n.
Providents (old), $4.75 b.
Providents (New), $2.30 n.
Hongkews, Tls. 216 n.
New Engineerings, Tls. 5¾ n.
Shanghai Docks, Tls. 89 n.

Lands, Hotels, etc.
Hotels (old), $11.10 b.
Hotels (new), $10.80 n.
H.K. Lands, $75 n.
S'hai Lands, Tls. 24 ¾ n.
Metropolitan Lands, Tls. 10 n.
Humphreys, $16 n.
H.K. Realties, $9.30 s.
Asia Realties "A", $140 n.
Asia Realties "B", $28 n.
Chinese Estates, $100 n.
China Realties, Tls. 11.40 n.
China Debentures Tls. 96½ n.

Cottons.
Ewo Cottons, Tls. 14.10 sa.
S'hai Cottons, Tls. 63½ n.
Zoong Sings, Tls. 11.10 n.
Wing on Textiles (S.) $150 b.

Public Utilities.
Tramways, $22 sa.
Peak Trams (old) $16 b.
Peak Trams (new), $8 sa.
Star Ferries, $91 sa.
Yaumati Ferries (old), $35½ n.
Yaumati Ferries (new), $34 n.
China Lights (old), $17.10 b.
China Lights (new), $16.60 b.
H.K. Electrics, $74½ b.
Macao Electrics, $24 n.
Sandakan Lights, $12 n.
Telephones (F.P.), $28 n.
Telephones (P.P.), $23 b.
China Buses, Tls.10 n.
Singapore Tractions, 2/- n.
Singapore Pref. 14/- n.

Industrials.
Malabon Sugars, $27½ n.
Cald: Macg. (Ord.), Tls.14 n.
Cald: Macg. (Pref.), Tls.10½ n.
Canton Ices, $6 b.
Cements (Com.), $14.70 n.
Cements (old), $10½ n.
Cements (new), $3½ n.
H.K. Ropes, $12 n.
Agriculturals, $10¼ n.

Stores, etc.
Dairy Farms, $27.50 b.
Watsons (old), $12.10 sa.
Watsons (new), $12 n.
Der. A. Wings, $1 n.
Sinceres, $16 n.
Lane Crawfords, $5.25 b.
Mackintoshs, $21 n.
Wm. Powells, $3.35 n.
Wing On (H.K.), $240 n.

Miscellaneous.
Amusements $20 s.
Entertainments, $13½ n.
S. C. Enterprises, $3⅓ n.
United Theatres Tls. 5.35 b.
Macao "Greyhounds", $10 n.
Construction (old), $6.50 b.
Construction (new), $1.40 b.
B. Ind. G. $ Bonds, $60% n.
H.K. Govt. Loans, 3% pre. n.
Wallace Harpers, $12.90 n.
China Sports Ltd., $10 n.

THE WORLD OF WOMEN

By Joan Savoy

There is a quaintness to the late summer fashions that is delightful. Every frock and blouse has a surprise feature that takes an unexpected trick or two. Most of them do it in an old-fashioned manner.

The model at the left couldn't decide whether to be a jumper or a gown with a collar specialty, so it uses a huge heart-shaped collar that fastens to the skirt with a large button. The material is blue bengaline, and the blouse, with its wide, short sleeves, is a lively plaid. Buttons decorate the shoulders of the frock, also.

The girl in the centre has covered a soft pink dress with a loose white linen coat. The dress features a square neckline, large buttons, and a skirt that hugs the hipline closely and flares around the knees. The coat concentrates on huge cuffs and pockets.

The costume at the right achieves an effective air of demureness by the shirred vest that features a high neckline. A row of buttons go all the way up the front of the coat, starting at a point below the hips and ending at the vest. The material is a redbrown pique.

All three of the costumes recover their freshness and vibrancy when they are laundered.

BEAUTY HINTS.

Keeping Step With Good Posture.

It is surprising how many people don't know how to walk. Their weight rests on their heels, and their feet weave fantastic patterns. They grow tired and don't know the reason why they do.

A few suggestions would help to send them along the right path.

Take your position against the wall. Remember that your heels, buttocks, shoulder blades and the back of your head level with your nose should touch the wall. Now imagine that a pulley is raising your head. Then step out. When you do it, keep slightly forward with your shoulders. Forget them. Let them go. They'll do the forward act unconsciously.

Now pretend that you have a new pair of rubber heels and can't afford another pair of them for a year. Naturally you will want to save them, so you will let most of your weight go forward. Never let your heels come down first.

Easy to Practice.

If this doesn't help, pretend that you are wearing a pair of new shoes, which you may decide not to keep. Since you don't want to mar them you will walk lightly, saving the heels.

Walk across the floor several times. Keep this exercise in mind whenever you are walking. It is practical and can be done anywhere.

Keeping a graceful position when you are sitting is another important part of the programme. Choose a chair that is comfortable. Make sure that it has a back that will support you.

Now sit back. Let the blades of your shoulders touch the back of the chair. Don't slide down on your spine. Stay erect. Let your feet rest on the floor. This position may sound stiff but it is surprisingly comfortable.

The correct way to walk or sit is usually the easiest way. It is astounding how difficult we make life sometimes.—ALICIA HART.

SEEN IN THE HOME SHOPS.

Stiffened lace by the yard for the Jacobean collars and cuffs so popular this year.

A tiny petrol lighter smaller than a lipstick, but covered with real *petit point*, and a cigarette case to match.

Scarves for the seaside in white wool, with a dropstitch pattern, and embroidered with a design of a sailing boat and anchor.

Necklets and bracelets to be worn with the bathing suit made of alternate sponge and untarnishable metal beads.

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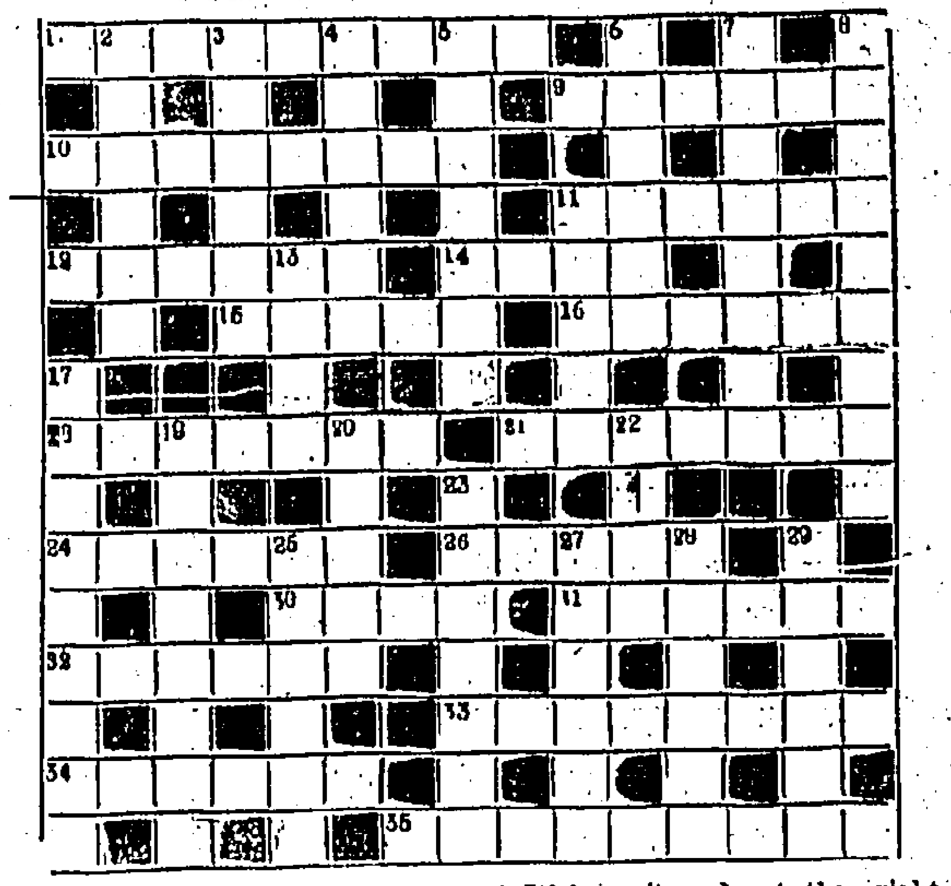
OUR BRITISH CROSSWORDS



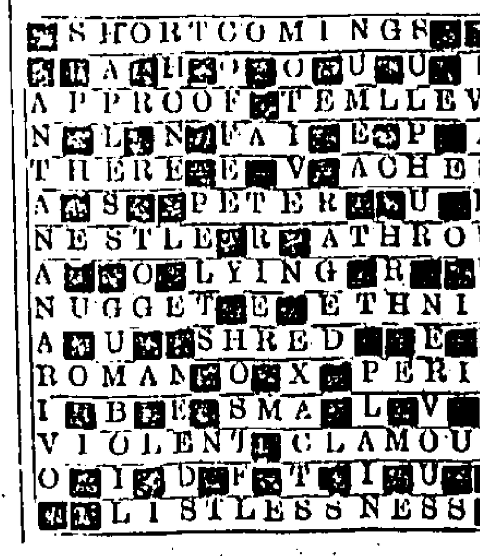
Across

1 Sounds as though you would need help with the beverage after the fruit is done.
9 Disarrange.
10 One does not hear of this tobacco being as popular with airmen as one might imagine it would be.
11 Join Ned and Pat to meet one with more learning than sense.
12 With reference to the special kind of fuel—you must speak again if you want it.
14 A well-known water-carrier.
15 Familiar circles.
16 Return.
18 Apprehensions that are probably, justified.
21 European country.
24 Though once dear to the author, may still be dearer.
26 Is let, maybe. What? The house they're on.
30 If you get this right, there will be dread consequences.
31 Considered.
32 Up and down affairs.
33 The latter part of the month scarcely seems sufficient for warmth.
34 Exact puishment. If the fifth letter were U the way would be clear.
35 One hears in real surrounds a preliminary performance.

Down

2 Uplifted, like a pie.
3 There's something strange in Edward, and a down-bent head.
4 Puts up, but not as a host.
5 Describes dye suitable for villains.
6 Stick to it and get the right word here in the end.
7 A Briton, for example.
8 Pertaining to sects.
11 Hidden—a penny in Peru.
13 Sometimes seen in the company of the graces.
17 Of noble birth.
19 Just became aware that ready money has been obtained.
20 Weeds.
22 Keep this in the army.
23 It's odd, but if it were more so it would not be known to you at all.
25 Spell this image with three letters.
27 Great French museum.
28 Don't get into a stew if you can't find this—but I'm not sure if that's good advice.
29 The colour of mignonette.

Yesterday's Solution.



WATER LEVELS.

WEST NORTH AND EAST RIVERS.

The following table issued by the Kwangtung River Conservancy Commission shows the height of water in English feet on the dates named in the West, North and East Rivers:

	Highest on record.	Lowest on record.	Sept. 18	Sept. 19
West River at Shiuhing	+41.7	0	13.6	—
North River at Tsingyuen	+41.7	0	7.6	7.1
North River at Samshui	+27.3	—5.3	8.2	—
East River at Sheklung	+15.5	—2.5	5.6	5.2

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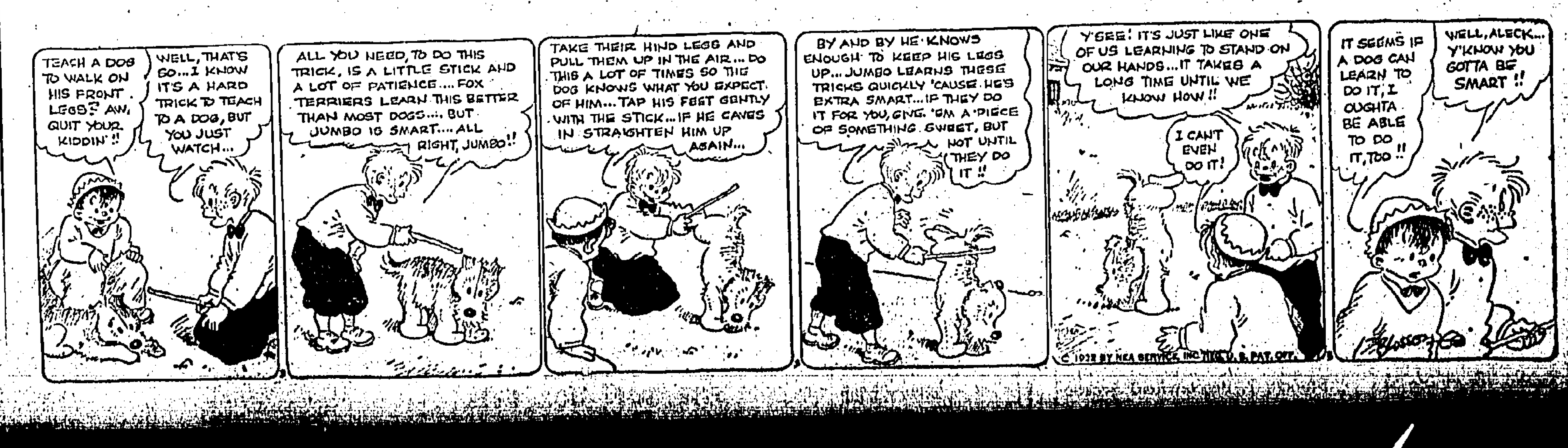

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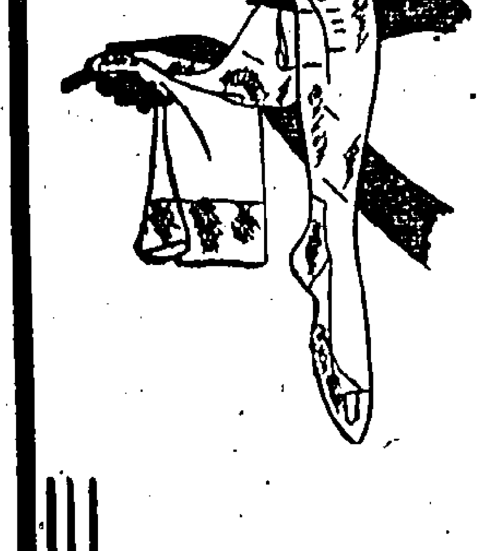

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Drs. Coxion and Herbert Tó and family, wish to thank all friends for their attendance at the funeral, also for messages of condolence and floral tributes sent in their recent bereavement.

The Hongkong Telegraph.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 20, 1932.

THE WRONG MOMENT

Quite apart from the merits or demerits of the case, there will, we imagine, be general agreement that Germany's determination to force the issue of arms equality at the present juncture is, as the British Note expresses it, untimely. There are so many major world issues requiring urgent adjustment that the time is ill-chosen in which to raise this question of first-rate importance. Moreover, the German Government's method of registering regret at the French refusal to concede equality offhand, by declining to attend further sessions of the Disarmament Conference until the issue is decided, smacks of an impatience which is, to say the least, regrettable. This is all the more so when it is borne in mind that the full results of the Conference have not yet been reached.

The terms of German disarmament have been specifically laid down in the Versailles Treaty, and, as the British Note points out, these cannot either be abrogated or modified except by general consent. In the same Treaty, by the provisions of the League of Nations Covenant, it was recognised that the maintenance of peace required a general reduction in armaments amongst all members of the League to the lowest point consistent with national safety. Since the Treaty was signed, it has been found possible to achieve substantial reductions, and the process is still continuing. Looked at in this light, it cannot be contended that Germany alone of the nations has been required to disarm. Actually, the limitation of arms imposed on Germany by the Peace Treaty has, as was intended, been followed by a large measure of disarmament on the part of the other Powers, even though it may be arguable whether such disarmament is in any way proportionate to the German sacrifices. The point not to be lost sight of in this connexion, however, is that the process is by no means yet complete, and that the resumed Conference, with which Germany intends to have nothing further to do, is to concentrate on the task of achieving further limitation. The absence of Germany, almost implying a determination to go her opposite of helpful, and might, indeed, jeopardise the whole cause of disarmament. Germany has made it plain in her *aide memoire* to France that she claims the right to revise her system of defence, including the period of military service, the structure or her forces, and the formation of a special militia. This raises the possibility that Germany's idea of equality may be based on a policy of re-arming rather than on any scheme for fresh reductions by the other Powers. Such a contingency could not but be viewed otherwise than with widespread concern.

It is not to be denied that the whole question of revision of the Versailles Treaty in its many aspects will eventually have to be faced, but in view of matters of far greater urgency which call for immediate action, it is unfortunate that this exceedingly controversial issue of Germany's right to re-arm should be raised at this juncture. However, the matter has now been brought definitely to a head, and it is for world statesmen so to handle it that Germany's intentions may be made perfectly clear. One thing is beyond dispute, namely, that Germany has not been ungenerously treated by the Powers since the war, and this circumstance makes her present impatience all the more regrettable. It is to be hoped that even at this eleventh hour she will reconsider her decision, and thus give tangible evidence of a desire to work in harmonious co-operation with other nations in the solution of the many problems in which all have a common interest.

Nationalism in Scotland.

The Nationalist movement in Scotland is assuming a definitely political shape. The Scottish Nationalist Party is organising candidates to contest the elections in the municipalities, preliminary to attacking the constituencies in the next general election on a straight Scottish Nationalist ticket. The movement is no new thing. It has persisted in Scotland for the best part of a generation, although it is only in recent years that it has begun to take a direct part in politics. At the last general election several Scottish Nationalists took the field; but the seriousness of the British national crisis found their efforts frustrated, so far as actual success went in the matter of securing seats. But the election revealed that there is a growing sentiment behind the movement, and new plans by the party to foster nationalism throughout the country are being watched with interest in circles beyond the borders of Scotland. The new nationalism in Scotland has little or nothing to do with the "clanishness" with which the Scottish race is credited. That is a different and distinctive form of nationalism, which Scotsmen have carried to the ends of the earth. The old nationalism has its roots in Scottish character, love of Scotland and an unshakable belief in Scottish ability. Nothing is likely to supplant the glory of that nationalism which has made the race distinctive in literature, commerce, politics, and virtually every phase of human activities. The new nationalism might be called another, and an entirely different, form of Scottish Nationalism. It has nothing whatever to do with that "nationalism" which aspires to put races into watertight compartments. It is not a nationalism that has any bitterness against any other nation, not even against its "auld enemy," England. Scottish nationalism, characteristically enough, is a common-sense proposal that Scotsmen should handle those affairs which they are best qualified to handle. The new nationalism is in reality a demand for decentralisation, a request by Scotsmen that they should be permitted to control their domestic affairs from a centre more accessible to Scottish sentiment and experience than Westminster. Their claims have none of the political implications which prompted Southern Ireland to demand Home Rule; nor do they seek severance from the British innovations that will alter materially the existing political make-up of Great Britain and Northern Ireland. Rather do Scottish Nationalists desire to bring that unusual ability of their own to the handling of affairs essentially Scottish, such as rating, education, law, and other topics which have little in common with the corresponding subjects in England or elsewhere.

DAY BY DAY

THE SALVATION OF A PEOPLE CANNOT BE ACCOMPLISHED BY ONE MAN SACRIFICING HIMSELF FOR OTHERS ON THE ALTAR OF PROGESS.

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Mr. J. Watson, representing Messrs. Arthur & Co., of Glasgow, who left the Colony last year, has returned to Hongkong to take charge of the firm's interests.

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The Sir Walter Scott Centenary Dinner of the Hongkong St. Andrew's Society will be held on Wednesday 21st instant in the Restaurant of Messrs. Lane, Crawford, Ltd. at 8 p.m.

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Admiral Sir Howard Kelly, Commander-in-Chief of the British naval forces on the China station, is expected to visit Miyajima from October 10 to 13 and Kobe from October 14 to 24.

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Mr. B. L. Falconer, of Exchange Building, has reported to the police the loss of a Licia camera, valued at $240, which he left on the counter whilst purchasing stamps at the General Post Office.

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Suffering from injuries received through falling backwards into the hold of one of the Kowloon Godown's lighters, Cheng Ying, aged 40 years, a foki, was removed to the Kowloon Hospital late last night. He died half an hour after admission.

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Arrested leaving a house in Nam Kwok Street, a Chinese who appered before Mr. Schofield at the Central Police Court this morning, charged with possession of two sticks of dynamite, a detonator and fuse, was fined $50 or one month's hard labour.

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After hiring a mah jongg set and a table top, a Chinese pawned the cards and this morning a charge of larceny by bailee was brought against him before Mr. Schofield at the Central Police Court. The defendant who lived at Mallory Street, removed the day after renting the set, but was seen in the streets by a foki who had gone in search of him. A fine of $50 was imposed.

SUGAR MARKET

THE LATEST CABLED QUOTATIONS

The following cable at the close of the sugar market yesterday has been received by Messrs. Pentreath and Co.

London Terminals.

December 1932 5/9 down 1¼d.
March 1933 6/- down 1¼d.
May 1933 6/2 down 1¼d.
August 1933 6/4¼ down 1d.
Buyers at above prices, sellers asking ¼d-½d more.

New York Terminals

September 1932 — —
December 1932 1.06 down 3 pts.
March 1933 1.03 down 4 pts.
May 1933 1.07 down 3 pts.
July 1933 1.12 dwon 3 pts.
Cuban 96°—Spot N.Y. 1.08 no change.

GERMANY TO-DAY

By MISS E. M. CANNON

"WHY is Germany making such a fuss about her economic conditions?" That is one's first thought on arrival at a city like Frankfurt-on-Main.

Everything seems to be going on as usual: the streets are busy, the factory chimneys on the outskirts of the town are belching forth black smoke, the main streets are full of luxury shops and cinemas, the young girls passing are dressed well and tastefully, the wireless blares cheerfully through the open doors of the innumerable cafes and restaurants where groups of people sit talking over their beer; huge new buildings in the modern geometric style are rising everywhere. Living is cheap; a furnished room and breakfast can be had for £2 a month, a substantial meal in a restaurant costs from 11d. to 1s. 2d. as a rule, and clothes are very cheap and smart.

A Wealth of Clues.

But soon one notices many little clues to the real condition of Germany.

Every few yards is an empty shop, or one displaying a large notice: "Sale owing to failure of the firm."

Many of the big solidly-built houses and flats stand empty, for their rents are too high even for those happy people who are in work, and the former inhabitants have moved into the settlements of small futuristically-planned houses built during the last three or four years.

Beggars and street musicians are distressingly frequent, and at the corners of the poorer streets are loafing groups of young people who have just left school and can find no work.

In the cinemas are notices saying that reductions are made to the unemployed, on production of a certificate. Students are also entitled to reductions at places of amusement, on the trams and railways, in the museums and so on, for the modern German student is pitifully poor, and many of them hover on the brink of starvation.

Some of them, known as Werlestudenten, take on part-time blind-alley work, to supplement their income. The concessions to students are all of post-war orgin, one is told, as also are the cheap prices in the restaurants, the result of an agitation about a year ago.

The number of small cheap cafes has greatly increased during the last few years, to meet the need for cheap amusements. Here one can sit a whole afternoon or evening over a glass or two of beer, reading the newspapers, listening to the wireless, chattering, or dancing, all for less than a shilling. In the streets one sees relatively far fewer private cars than in an English provincial city, for the high taxes have forced many people, even of high social position, to give up their cars.

Yet another symptom of economic distress is the large number of lotteries, with their tempting placards offering fabulous sums of money for the expenditure of a few pence. These lotteries are very well patronised.

When one turns to the newspapers the picture becomes blacker. Appalling figures of the number of unemployed are given, and we are told that the number of suicides due to depression or financial troubles is something like 60 a week.

"With View to Marriage."

Even those who are in work are very badly paid, and many cannot afford to marry, except perhaps on a strictly commercial basis. In most papers is a column of advertisements running thus: "Sober, intelligent, industrious man seeks woman with capital or shop, with view to marriage."

The birth-rate is declining with the decline in marriages. In a certain nursing home twenty-nine babies were born on one day before the war. Now twenty-five are born there in a week.

The lack of work for young people has led to a huge increase in the number of students at the universities, despite official warnings, for there is no prospect of work for most of them, and the existence of such a large proportion of university-educated people, who will not want to turn to manual work, will inevitably cause difficulties.

"But at least," argue the parents, "it keeps them off the streets for three or four years, and perhaps things will have improved by then, for they can scarcely get any worse."

Other people, however, tell us we have not yet seen the worst, and wish they were well out of it. One educated man, with what in England would be quite a good post as commercial traveller in electrical appliances, has so little left when he has paid his taxes that he has to get his parents to send him sausage and eggs from their farm. He can afford no amusements save an occasional cinema, and marriage is out of the question for him. "Don't you think," he said to me once, "that I have often wished I had been old enough to have died in the War?"

Crisis In the Air.

There is a general feeling that a crisis is imminent. Many people feel it will take the form of another war, and hope that they will die before it comes.

Germany cannot pay any more reparations: that is the opinion of the man in the street. Something must be done about that, and about the economic condition generally. That is why so many have joined the Hitler party, with its definite, if extreme, policy, for they feel that Hitler has the vitality which the honest, but old, Hindenburg lacks.

One of the cheering notes is the scheme for organising voluntary unpaid labour for the building of roads, house settlements, parks, open-air swimming baths and so on. The idea is that young men without employment should serve for a year or so, as in the army in the old days. They live a communal life in camps or hostels, receiving their food but no pay. The plan has already been successfully tried and will probably be extended.

The Mountain in Travail.

Another scheme is to provide unemployed men with a plot of ground, and a loan of money to buy tools and seeds, to be repaid when the land is yielding a profit. Even in her agony, Germany's talent for organisation reappears.

Germany, like the rest of the world, is in travail, but one feels that something more interesting than the mouse of Aesop's fable will be born.

"I wouldn't buy a whole bunch of them. People won't ...

THIS SINGING EVIL

By Edward Kelly, Student of Art.

We are looking forward to the social season in Hongkong.

We know that Autumn is here, because our wife received a Winter catalogue yesterday. Then there is the A.D.C., Philharmonic Society and the Helena May Institute with we're-going-to-do-it-this-year looks in their eyes.

In may be of interest, in view of the imminence of all this to quote the remarks of another great scientist, with whom we have made a study of the subject.

It seems that an Australian aborigine training for a corroboree first catches a frog which is placed in a vessel of water. After a time he drinks the water (the aborigine, not the frog) and eats the frog, thereby gaining a voice both clear and strong.

Which calls to mind the whistling cat who ate the canary and had to live on birdseed.

Now is the time when all musicians get sprung and life ...

CORRESPONDENCE.

Adolf Hitler.

(To the Editor, *Hongkong Telegraph.*)

Sir,—As a German, who is deeply interested in the political and economical development of his fatherland, especially in the present time of crisis, I am grateful to you for the news you publish about Germany, German statesmen or leading men in politics, etc., though in the past it has been at times rather hard to find any such news or articles in your esteemed paper, how carefully one examines it. But just lately I am glad to find very interesting and detailed news from Europe and Germany. Your leading article in your to-day's issue (September 19th.) is devoted to the "most arresting figure in German political life", Adolf Hitler, chief of the National Socialists, the largest German party which ever entered the German Reichstag.

As you mention, we shall probably hear much more in the immediate future about this well-known name in European politics. That is, in my opinion, why you wished to enlighten your readers somewhat about the character and personality of Adolf Hitler. I admit that it is not an easy task to get true and unbiassed information about a man who stands amidst an embittered political strife.

As is known, every great man he he a politician, a scientist or an inventor, always has to encounter strongest opposition and criticism. The reasons are various—envy (in the first place), ambition, hatred, and others. Take for example the case, of an inventor who invents something revolutionising a whole industry. At once a world of competitors will rise to their feet and try to prove the impossibility and impracticability of the invention. Would it not be wise, first, to give a hearing before quoting the critical voices condemning him? So I venture to say it is not quite fair to quote an absolutely unknown man's narrow-minded ideas about Adolf Hitler, a personality who has inspired 14 millions with his enthusiastic ideals in sincere love of his country. Who is Dr. Lengyel? Certainly nothing else than one of the many unknown enemies of Hitler whose capability and genius would not reach higher than the height of the shoes of the great politician, Hitler. So I think it is rather misleading to cite this biography writer as an authority on internal German life.

If one wants to know something about Hitler and his life, why not read his book: "My Struggle" or what Dr. J. Stark, University professor and holder of a Nobel prize, writes about him in his booklet, "Adolf Hitler's Aims and Personality," or the book of Czech-Jochberg, "Hitler" A German Resurrection," or Rudolf Hess, "Facts and Lies about Hitler." This would be the way to learn the truth about Hitler, if one really desires the truth.

I shall not try to contradict all the accusations which Dr. Lengyel pours out on Hitler, born out of a feeling of hatred and envy which do not contain any serious arguments for a reasonable discussion. People who are familiar with German politics know very well that Hitler and his success cannot be explained by a mixture of fanaticism, demagogism and American salesmanship. Hitler has not only protected Germany but the whole of Europe against the rise of Bolshevism. This fact should always be remiembered whatever feelings or prejudices one entertains against Herr Hitler.

I wish to close now with the expression of appreciation that the *Hongkong Telegraph* does not identify itself with the opinions of the "unknown biography writer" and hope that these lines support, though only to certain extent, the Press in their acknowledged aim to give as much publicity to truth as possible.—Yours, etc.

N.S.D.A.P. HONGKONG
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OPIUM SMUGGLERS CAUGHT

LARGE FINES IMPOSED ON OFFENDERS.

More opium smugglers fell foul of Revenue Officer Ward and his party last night when attempting to bring contraband into the Colony from Chinese ports.

A total of 92 taels of opium in its raw state was found concealed in two baskets and an earthenware jar which a woman was carrying as she disembarked from the s.s. Tung On from Canton. She was fined $2,000, or eight months' hard labour, by Mr. Schofield this morning.

In the case of a man who was arrested with 58 taels of raw opium tied around his legs, his Worship imposed a fine of $1,000 or two months' hard labour.

A man who was arrested on the waterfront with ten taels of raw opium and three mace of the prepared drug was fined a total of

PHILADELPHIA AND BOSTON

Successes in Both Major Leagues Yesterday

New York, Sept. 19.

To-day's games in the major leagues had no bearing on the championship. Neither Pittsburgh nor Chicago were engaged in the National League.

The Phillies continued their winning ways with a 5-3 success over Brooklyn, thanks to home runs by Klein and Mallon. O'Doul hit a fourmaster for the Dodgers. Boston Braves defeated the Giants, R. Moore (Braves) and Hogan (Giants) hitting home runs.

In the American League, Philadelphia and Boston secured victories, Cochrane (Athletics) and Jolley (Boston) hitting for the circuit.

Results:—

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

New York	3	9	3
Boston	6	8	1
Philadelphia	5	8	0
Brooklyn	3	8	0

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Chicago	6	12	3
Philadelphia	9	10	0
Detroit	4	12	2
Boston	5	8	2

League standings follow:

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Chicago	88	60	.595
Pittsburgh	81	65	.555
Brooklyn	78	72	.520
Philadelphia	77	72	.517
Boston	76	74	.507
New York	67	80	.456
St. Louis	67	80	.456
Cincinnati	59	90	.396

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

New York	104	45	.698
Philadelphia	92	57	.617
Washington	87	60	.592
Cleveland	84	63	.571
Detroit	71	73	.494
St. Louis	61	85	.418
Chicago	46	100	.315
Boston	43	103	.295

SEARCH FOR GIRL IN ORANGE

SWAM TO RESCUE OF FIVE PEOPLE

Clacton, Aug. 20.

Who is the girl in the orange bathing suit and helmet who plunged into a choppy sea and swam out to aid in the rescue of five occupants of a motorboat which overturned off Jaywick Sands yesterday?

The sixth occupant, Mr. G. C. Payne, of Hitchin, an ex-Tottenham Hotspur footballer, lost his life.

A search has been made throughout the bungalow town of Jaywick to-day in vain for the orange girl. Between three and four thousand people in the bungalow town have done little else to-day but discuss her. A man who dashed in with her had to turn back, but she reached the people, who were clinging to the overturned boat.

The girl has disappeared entirely, and no one knows her name, where she comes from, or where she has gone. Many people saw her swim out and saw her land, but from that moment nothing has been seen or heard of her.

Vain Search

Mr. Stedman, of Jaywick Sands Estate, said that all his inquiries had been in vain.

"Several people," he said, "have tried to find her. She was probably very modest and wanted no fuss."

Mrs. Robinson, of Whetstone, who is occupying a bungalow here, spoke to the orange girl.

"She was very dark and very pretty, and I should think she was in the early twenties. She went on like a Channel swimmer. She only left the water when she saw that the people had been picked up in a boat.

"When she landed I said to her, 'That was a very plucky thing to do.' She just laughed and said 'Oh, no, it's nothing. I know my strength as I am not afraid of the water.'"

PATSY'S ADVENTURE

HIDE-AND-SEEK LEADS TO THREE ARRESTS

Warsaw, Aug. 14.

Because Patsy, the four-year-old daughter of Mr. S. E. McMillan, the American Consul here, hid from her nurse and was lost for a time, three persons were arrested on suspicion of kidnapping her. Her parents, having in mind the Lindbergh case, feared she had been taken away by a former maid who had been discharged.

While playing with other children in a park, Patsy hid behind some trees, and afterwards could not find her way back to her nurse. [illegible] street, where a policeman found her and took her from house to house until eventually she recognised her home and was safely returned to her parents.

The police have now abandoned the kidnapping theory and released the three prisoners.

BRIDDLE OF THE ROMANOFFS

MAN WHO KNOWS THE TRUTH

Living in obscurity in Germany there is a woman who is either a princess—daughter of the late Tsar of Russia—or an impostor.

What is the truth behind the riddle of Anastasia Tschaikovsky, as she is known?

Pulled out of a Berlin canal one winter's night in 1920, she was later declared to be the Grand Duchess Anastasia, daughter of the murdered Tsar. Her story is once again revived in "The Real Romanovs," a stirring account of the Red Revolution by Gleb Bolkin, a son of the Tsar's personal physician. (Putnam, 10s. 6d.).

Escaped the Massacre

It will be remembered that the supposed Grand Duchess was declared to have escaped the massacre at Ekaterinburg, and to have been smuggled to Germany by a Red soldier and his brother.

Mr. Bolkin was a leading figure in the romance that developed about the personality of the mystery girl, who—after having been taken under the wing of Mrs. William Leeds, wife of an American millionaire, and formerly Princess Xenia of Russia—was denounced by the Grand Duchesses Olga and Xenia, and by other members of the former Russian Royal Family, and two years later returned to Germany.

Mr. Bolkin introduces no evidence additional to that which, as a former playmate of the Grand Duchess Anastasia, he produced twelve years ago (and at other times since), to prove that Anastasia Tchaikovsky was actually the Grand Duchess.

Reading his book it seems impossible to believe that the "Grand Duchess" was any other than what so many people who ought to know declared her to be.

Red Soldier's Brother

Mr. Bolkin declares—and this is the only unconvincing part of his book—that this was because the Grand Duchesses stood to lose heavily in pocket should it be proved that one of the Tsar's children had survived.

Still the mystery remains a baffilling one. If only the Red soldier had not been killed in an affray in Bucharest!

Mr. Bolkin affirms that the soldier's brother appeared in Berlin last year, but was bundled away by the police—which is not very convincing either.

FIGHT WITH TUNNY FISH

ALL-DAY STRUGGLE

Scarborough, Aug. 14.

A monster tunny fish, caught off Scarborough early this morning, had not been landed late to-night.

Mr. Harold Hardy, a local angler, and Mr. Ennis, a Scottish enthusiast, put to sea in a trawler and when they received news that five tunny fish were eating mackerel, they went to the scene in a small boat.

They soon hooked a tunny, and the "battle" started. A trawler skipper who left the fishing grounds two hours later reported that the fight was the fiercest he had ever seen.

The anglers, he said, were then four miles from where they hooked the fish, and 17 miles off Scarborough.

KILLED BY AVALANCHE

GUIDES' 3 HOURS' ODEAL

Chamonix (France), Aug. 22.

A French industrialist, M. Victor Perrin, was killed yesterday while climbing the Green Needle.

He was struck by an avalanche of stones and large rocks.

The two guides who were accompanying him had to remain for three hours tied to the body while the avalanche crashed over the spot where they crouched.

While her husband was about to photograph her on a glacier near Chamonix, Mme Ordoni, wife of a French officer, fell backwards over a precipice and was seriously injured.—British United Press.

[There have been ten fatal accidents in the Mont Blanc region within the past few days.]

"I COULD CRY, OLD MAN"

CORPORAL AND 74-YEAR-OLD MAGISTRATE

A pedestrian was knocked down by a motorists between Alton and Farnham, Hampshire, and the following conversation, it is alleged, took place:

The Motorist—Are you hurt, old man?

The Pedestrian—Very much. Why are you on the wrong side of the road?

The Motorist—I sounded my horn, old man.

The Pedestrian—You seem to think that if you sound your horn the whole road is yours.

The Motorist—There was no time to put on my brakes.

The Pedestrian—Had you been on your right side there would have been no need to apply your brakes.

The Motorist—I cannot tell you how sorry I am, old man, I could cry about it.

The Pedestrian—That will not help things. Please help me up.

They then revealed their identities. The motorist was Corporal Arthur Henry Evans, of the Royal Tanks Corps, Farnborough, and the pedestrian was Sir Hubert Miller, a magistrate for Alton, of The Shrubbery, Froyle.

This was related at Alton Police Court when Sir Hubert, who is 74, and who was wheeled into Court in an invalid's chair, gave evidence against Evans.

Hilda Mabel Blanchard, a maid, said that she was standing at the window in the servants' hall and saw a car go past on its wrong side. Then an unbrella flew past the window, and when she went outside she saw her master in the road with his head practically in the gutter.

Evans was fined £2 for driving without reasonable consideration for others.

MOLESEY COUNTRY CLUB

MOTION AGAINST SECRETARY

The story of a club secretary, who, it was alleged, disappeared with the club books and other documents, was told to Mr. Justice Goddard in the Vacation Court when Mr. Arthur Milligan asked for the appointment of a receiver of the Molesey Country Club on behalf of the proprietress, Mrs. Seymour.

The motion was against Mr. Kenneth Estall-Cole, who did not appear.

Mr. Milligan said that he asked for the appointment of a receiver of the club's books, documents and keys. The club was originally the Molesey Country Club. In February Mrs. Seymour purchased the lease and goodwill of the premises, and she appointed a Mr. Lonsdale as secretary.

Later, Mr. Estall-Cole approached Mrs. Seymour, and, it was said, suggested that he should be secretary, his remuneration to consist of his accommodation and meals. He was given the post.

About the middle of May, Mr. Estall-Cole disappeared, said Mr. Milligan. "At least I can use no other world, because he went away and nobody knew where he was. He was thought to be on holiday. But after a time plaintiff began to be nervous and took legal steps, in the course of which Mr. Estall-Cole gave an undertaking not to part with the property which it was contended belonged to the club."

Mr. Justice Goddard—This action seems to be one in detinue.

Mr. Milligan—Mr. Estall-Cole was in a fiduciary position, and I now want him to hand the books, &c., over to a receiver.

Mr. Justice Goddard—Very well. There will be an order in the terms of your notice of motion.

ROAD SENSE LESSION COSTS £22

MAGISTRATE AND SCOTTISH PROFESSOR

Professor Charles Darwin, of Edinburgh, who "cut in" in front of another car, forcing it on to the grass verge, in order "to show the driver road sense," was fined £20, the maximum penalty, at Bottisham (Cambridgeshire) Petty Sessions.

According to the evidence, he told a police constable that he had been following the other car for a mile and had been obstructed by it.

Captain Hicks (a magistrate)—I would like to bring him from Scotland and take his licence away.

The Clerk—You can fine him £20 and endorse his licence, but not suspend it. It may be that a good fat penalty, witnesses' expenses, and endorsement will be sufficient punishment.

The Bench also ordered Professor Darwin to pay £2 2s. costs and that his licence should be endorsed [illegible]

RADIO BROADCAST

PROGRAMME OF RECORDED MUSIC

Broadcast by Z.B.W. on a wavelength of 355 metres. (845 K.C.'s).

6-8 p.m. Chinese programme.

8-10.30 p.m. European programme.

8 p.m. Local Time and Weather Report.

8.3-9 p.m.

A programme of records from Z.B.W.'s Library.

8.3-8.35 p.m.

Concerto in A Minor (Schumann, Op. 54) played by Alfred Cortot and the London Symphony Orchestra conducted by Sir Landon Ronald.

8.35-9 p.m. Vocal Gems.

Heloh (Offenbach, Herbert, arr. Korngold) Columbia Light Opera Company.
The Maid of the Mountains (Fraser-Simpson) Light Opera Company.
Bow Bells (Carter, Sevier, Sullivan and Hamilton).
Hold my Hand (Carter and Gay) Columbia Light Opera Company.

9-9.30 p.m. From the Studio.

A pianoforte recital by Professor S. Maklezoff.

Programme.

1. Ballade, Op. 24 (E. Grieg).
2. Funerailles (F. Liszt).

9.30-10.27 p.m.

A programme of records from Z.B.W.'s Library.

9.30-10.10 p.m.

A Selection of Ethelbert Nevin's Music played by the Victor Salon Orchestra and Group directed by Nathaniel Shilkret.

A Day in Venice—Narcissus (From "Water Scenes")—Country Dance—A Shepherd's Tale (From "In Arcady")—Lullaby (From "In Arcady")—My Desire (From "Songs from Vineacre")—Mighty Lak' a Rose—At Twilight—Oh That We Two Were Maying (From "Sketch Book") —Little Boy Blue—The Night Has a Thousand Eyes (From "Sketch Book")—The Woodpecker—In Winter I Get Up at Night—Every Night—Beat Upon Mine, Little Heart—A Life Lesson—Barchetta (From "May in Tuscany")—Serenade (From "Captive Memories")—'Twas a Lover And His Lass—The Rosary.

10.10-10.27 p.m. Concert Waltzes.

The Grenadier Waltz (Waldteufel, arr. Winterbottom.)
Acclamations Waltz (Waldteufel)
Reg. Band of H.M. Grenadier Guards.
Moonlight on the Alster (Fetras).
Siren of the Ball (Lehar-Schott)
Marek Weber and His Orchestra.

10.27 p.m. Rugby Mid-day Press News.

10.30 p.m. (approx:) Close Down.

KZRM PROGRAMME.

To-day's broadcast from the Manila station:
5.00 p.m.—Studio Music.
6.10 p.m.—Spanish Informational Period.
6.30 p.m.—English Informational Period.
7.00 p.m.—Dialect Programme—Tagalog—Amado Fernando & Dely Fernando.
7.15 p.m.—Request Period.
7.30 p.m.—"Viva."
7.45 p.m.—Ford Service Programme—Anson Weeks and his Orchestra.
8.00 p.m.—Bottica Boie Master Music Series—Bottica Boie Orchestra.
8.15 p.m.—Recitations by Charles F. Lindsley.
8.30 p.m.—Ilocano Programme Ira Association, directed by Leon Pichay.
9.00 p.m.—Dance Music—Dollar S. S. Pres. Van Buren Orchestra.
10.30 p.m.—Close down.

HOTEL CONCERTS.

LAST SUNDAY'S FULL OF PLEASING VARIETY

A large number of music lovers attended the Peninsula Hotel's symphonic concert last Sunday night, and enjoyed a pleasing evening's entertainment. Excellent variety was a feature of the programme, which included pianoforte duets for two pianos and violin solos. The pianists in the former were Miss Nora Flint and Mr. W. R. Fleming, and their rendering of E. Del Valle de Paz's compositions "Valse Lente" and "Cortege" was accorded hearty applause.

Mr. Stanley Marechek played two violin solos, and was accompanied on the piano by Mr. R. Stupel. These were also well received.

Of the orchestral numbers, the following appeared to be the more favoured. March "With Sword and Lance" by Starke; "In the Mill" by Gillet; Waltz "Jolly Good Fellows" by Vollstedt; and the Grand Ballet "Margarita" in Faust.

These Sunday evening concerts provided by the Peninsula Hotel are most enjoyable and another is in preparation for next Sunday.

BANDITS' DEMAND

$700,000 RANSOM FOR MRS. PAWLEY

Newchwang, Sept. 19.

Mrs. Pawley's father has received a letter signed by three of the bandits by whom she was recently captured, stating that she is being well treated in expectation of the payment of a ransom of $700,000 and a quantity of jewellery and arms, which must be delivered within a week or she will be shot. They add that such is the fate that awaits her if troops are sent against the bandits.

Mr. Corkran's employers, the A.P.C., have been informed that if they do not open negotiations for his release his car will be sent them.

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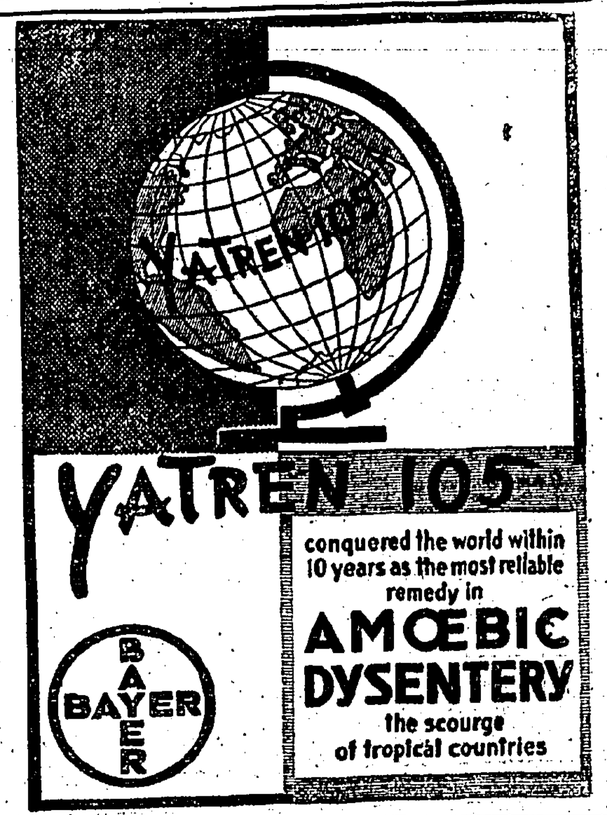

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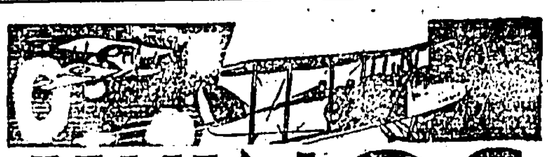

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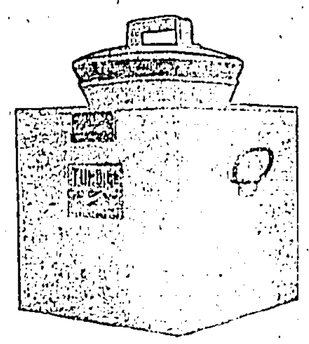

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BOWLS INTERPORT WON AFTER TERRIFIC STRUGGLE

SHANGHAI BEATEN BY HONGKONG SKIPPER'S BRILLIANT SHOT

GAME'S AMAZING FLUCTUATIONS

HONGKONG yesterday won the lawn bowls interport against Shanghai, when, after a game of amazing fluctuations in the course of which Hongkong led 18-6 on the fourteenth head, and were themselves led by 20-18 at the 19th, U.M. Omar, the visitor's gallant skipper, snatched a glorious shot with a fast drive which carried the jack, and with it the Interport honours of 1932.

The Hongkong team played well to a man, but it was Omar's steadiness in the critical stages, when Shanghai made a bold bid to rob Hongkong of the second match, which turned the tide in favour of the visitors. Shanghai has never seen finer skippering than that demonstrated by Omar.

Shanghai, Sept. 19.

In the same way as they had snatched victory yesterday, the Hongkong bowls team to-day took the second interport contest from Shanghai, thus securing the rubber.

Hongkong won the match by one shot at the last end—21 to 20—after one of the finest games ever seen in Shanghai. Omar again won the match, giving the spectators thrill after thrill with brilliant shots.

There was a large crowd at the Wayside Park and the green was splendid but the sun bothered the players somewhat.

Omar's driving shots were very deadly and he took care that when his men had their shots that they guarded, while Shanghai lost mainly through not guarding.

In the first three quarters of the game, Shanghai was outplayed. At the fourteenth end the score was 18/6 in favour of Hongkong and from the eighth to the fourteenth Shanghai had not scored. Then, from the fourteenth they took the next five with a single, two fours, a three and a two, making the score 20/18 in favour of Shanghai.

At the twentieth, Hongkong scored two, making the tally 20 all. At the last end, Raitt, with his second got a lucky wick to lay his shot and the game looked won for Shanghai, but Omar came up with a fast one, carrying jack to the ditch and laying his shot.

This was loudly cheered. Dunlop was short with his first, while the second went into the ditch and the game was lost.

Score by Ends.

	Hongkong.		Shanghai.	
1	–	–	1	1
2	1	1	–	1
3	–	1	2	3
4	2	3	–	3
5	1	4	–	3
6	4	8	–	3
7	–	8	3	6
8	1	9	–	6
9	1	10	–	6
10	2	12	–	6
11	3	15	–	6
12	1	16	–	6
13	1	17	–	6
14	1	18	–	6
15	–	18	1	7
16	–	18	4	11
17	–	18	4	15
18	–	18	3	18
19	–	18	2	20
20	2	20	–	20
21	1	21	–	20

—*Reuter.*

LOCAL MATCHES.

Inter-Departmental Games for Next Sunday.

THE SELECTED TEAMS.

As indicated last week the second round match between the Sanitary Department "A" (Hongkong) and the Small Units in the Inter-Departmental Competition could not be played off on Sunday. It has now been arranged for next Sunday when two further matches will be decided.

It is hoped to have the semi-final ties contested on Saturday October 1, although this date has not yet been decidedly arranged as yet. The final, it is hoped, will then be played the following week.

Next Sunday the Sanitary Department (Hongkong) will be represented by S. Ecceshall, J. J. Gregory, C. Strange and H. L. Lockhart in their match against the Small Units whose rink will be composed of F. H. Holdman, H. Westlake or R. Hall G. C. Moss and A. T. Hamilton.

The Revenue Department, composed of A. W. Grimmitt W. Ward, T. Tallon and E. Tuck, will meet the Police "B" (Scots) who will be represented by W. Muir, T. R. Hunter, J. C. Fender and W. McLeod.

A third match which is to be played on Sunday is that between the Public Works Department "A" (A. M. Holland, J. Fraser, A. H. Dinnen and H. H. Rose) and the Senior Clerical and Accountants' Staff (B. G. Maughan, H. E. Strange, S. Randle, A. W. E. Davidson).

The match between Government House and the Police "A" (English) will most probably be played to-morrow at Government House. The rink to represent Government House will be His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government (Hon. Mr. W. T. Southorn), J. Deakin, Capt. F. Webb and J. Barrow while the Police will be represented A. N. Reynolds, F. H. E. Bootle-

RUGBY

KOWLOON CLUB'S WORK-OUT NEXT THURSDAY

THREE TEAMS TO MEET ARGYLLS

VERY BRIGHT PROSPECTS

Following upon the determination, expressed at the annual meeting last week, to continue another season of rugger, the Kowloon Rugby Club last night selected three teams for Seven-Aside practice, and this will act, not only as a guide to the composition of the regular fifteens, but will also afford some indication of the possible teams for the seven-aside tournament which was introduced as an inovation last year.

With practically all of last season's players available, together with some new blood, the playing prospects of the club are definitely bright, and provided interest is sustained by the members, there is every reason to believe that the Peninsula rugger representatives will aquit themselves well.

Three teams of seven players have been selected to meet the Argylls on Thursday and the twenty-one players are promised a thoroughly good work-out.

The "A" combination is Skinner; Burnett, Brokenshire, Torrible, Cogan, Stoker and Wilson.

The "B" team is represented by Easterbrook; Ferguson, Whitley, Hopkins, Kerr, Watson and Macnider.

The "C" seven is La Roche; Gurevitch, Peart, Andrews, Fowler, Maynard, Berruex and Garrod.

All three games will take place on the Kowloon Rugby Club ground, King's Park, beginning at 5.15 p.m.

TENNIS EXHIBITIONS

Programme For Wednesday and Thursday

THE following programmes have been arranged in connexion with the tennis exhibitions to be given by E.D. Andrews and local players at the Hongkong Chicket Club on Wednesday and Thursday.

WEDNESDAY.

3.30 p.m. Doubles:—M. W. Lo and E. D. Andrews v Ho Ka-lau and Yew Man-kit.
Singles:—E. D. Andrews v E. C. Fincher.

THURSDAY.

3.30 p.m. Doubles:—E. D. Andrews and A. L. Sullivan v S. A. and H. D. Rumjahn.
Singles:—E. D. Andrews v S. A. Rumjahn

The doubles matches will be first on the card each day and there will be a 10 minutes interval between them and the singles.

Admission will be $1.

SWIMMING

CANTON V Y.M. MAY BE POSTPONED

To Avoid Clash With K.C.C. Opening

ALTERNATIVE DATES OFFERED

It is almost certain that the proposed visit of the Canton swimmers to the Y.M.C.A., on Saturday next will be postponed.

The Y.M.C.A., have written to Canton urging this in order to avoid making the event clash with the opening of the Kowloon Cricket Club pavilion.

The "Y" swimmers have offered October 1 and 8 as alternative dates, and unless Canton insist on coming down this Saturday, one of these two dates will be selected upon.

Mr. Eric Railton, the Y.M.C.A. swimming hon secretary, is expecting a reply to his request within the course of the next day or two.

BLACKBURN DRAW AGAIN

Fifth Time in Six Matches

London, Sept. 19.

Playing at home in the First Division of the English League to-day, Blackburn Rovers participated in their fifth draw in six matches. They have been beaten once, but have yet to score their first win.

Their opponents to-day were Derby County and each side netted three times. League table, revised, follows:

	P.	W.	L.	D.	Goals F.	A.	Pts.
Aston Villa	6	4	2	0	14	4	10
Portsmouth	6	4	2	0	13	7	10
West Brom.	6	4	2	0	16	9	10
Arsenal	6	4	1	1	15	8	9
Newcastle	5	3	2	0	15	7	8
Derby	6	3	2	1	11	8	8
Huddersfield	6	3	1	2	10	7	7
Liverpool	6	2	2	2	13	13	6
Leeds	6	2	2	2	9	9	6
Chelsea	6	2	2	2	11	11	6
Everton	6	3	0	3	11	12	6
Wednesday	6	2	1	3	11	10	5
Birmingham	6	2	1	3	8	9	5
Blackburn	6	0	5	1	12	13	5
Sunderland	6	2	1	3	9	14	5
Bolton	6	2	1	3	12	18	5
Sheffield U.	6	1	2	3	12	13	4
Blackpool	6	2	0	4	10	15	4
Leicester	6	1	2	3	8	14	4
Wolves	6	1	1	4	7	13	3
Manchester C.	6	1	0	5	8	14	2
Middlesbro'	5	1	0	4	7	14	2

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RADIO MEET STRONG OPPOSITION

TWO ARMY TEAMS DEFEATED

FIXTURES AND TEAMS

In a friendly hockey match at Caroline Hill yesterday, the Radio Sports Club defeated the Royal Army Service Corps by 3 goals to 1 after a game featured by keen exchanges.

The Radio enjoyed the better of the exchanges in the first half, and crossed over leading by the only two goals scored, the marksmen being Gurbachan Singh and Awtar Singh.

The Army team offered stout resistance in the remaining period of play, though they were more prominent in defence. The R.A.S.C. goal-keeper played a great game time after time thwarting the eager Radio forwards, and in particular Awtar Singh and Kalwant Singh.

G. Singh placed the Radio three goals ahead within a few minutes of the restart, but before the second half was long expended, the Army had notched a point, and deserved to find the net at least on one more occasion.

Hanib was one of the outstanding players on the field, his work for the Radio at centre-half being very constructive.

ORDANCE CORPS LOSE

SUPERIORITY OF INDIAN MULE CORPS

In a friendly match on the Railway ground, the Indian Mule Corps won an easy game from the Royal Army Ordnance Corps yesterday, six goals to two. The Indian team was assisted by their commanding officer, Capt. H. Eve and C. C. Francis.

During the first half the Indian team was vastly superior and scored four goals to their opponents' one, but after the change over the Ordnance Corps showed more understanding and their combination was better than in the opening stages. They reduced the lead to 4-2, but failed to hold their opponents who netted twice before the final whistle went.

FIXTURES AND TEAMS.

The Hongkong Hockey Club senior eleven will meet the Club de Recreio in a friendly match on the Club ground at King's Park at 5.20 p.m. to-morrow. The Club will be represented by the following players:

G. Duncan; E. V. Reed, J. Rodger; W. A. Reed, A. A. Dand, J. E. Potter; D. B. Evans, W. E. Williams, C. C. Francis, J. L. Tetley and G. E. R. Divett.

Y.M.C.A. Teams.

Following is the team selected to represent Y.M.C.A. first XI against the South Wales Borderers at 5.15 p.m. at King's Park to-day:

G. C. Moss; A. Tate, E. O. Murphy; R. A. Bates, H. Sommers, F. S. W. Smith; J. M. Wilson, W. J. Brown, D. McLellan (Capt.), A. Andrews, T. J. Price. Referee, A. C. Jeffreys.

The Y.M.C.A. second team, to play the Club "A" on Friday at 5.15 p.m. is as follows:

L. Skinner; H. Owen, F. Allen; E. F. Selk, D. Watts, R. Dormer; J. J. Ferguson, G. C. Burnett, G. Fowler, C. Balman, R. Baldwin. Referee, A. C. Jeffreys.

DAZZLING PLAY YESTERDAY

RUMJAHNS UP AGAINST IT

SWEPT OFF FEET

(By "VERITAS").

WITH sweeping forehand drives which found the side lines with unerring accuracy, and devastating volleys and overhead "kills", E. D. Andrews, the "almost-conqueror" of Frank Shields, yesterday hit his way through, what has come to be regarded locally as the impregnable combination—the Rumjahn cousins—, and offered spectators at the Indian Recreation Club one of the finest exhibitions of tennis seen in the Colony for many a long day.

If ever Andrews vindicated his reputation as a player of international calibre (and at the same time avenged his defeat in Hongkong of last year) it was yesterday. The occasion seemed to inspire him, and with placid Teddy Fincher backing him up with his placements, the two had no difficulty in disposing of S.A. and H.D. Rumjahn, the scores reading 6-3, 6-1, 5-7.

ANDREWS v. "REST".

The game provided Andrews with a first-class work-out for Wednesday and Thursday, and if he reveals the same form then, Hongkong will have no cause to be disappointed in him. Employing a top-spin forehand drive which gave tremendous pace to the ball, he paved the way for little else but slaughter at the net, and so completely did he dominate the court in the second set, that one felt it was Andrews versus the Rest, with the "Rest" a bad second.

Andrew's ground strokes were magnificent and in their production, an object lesson for any aspiring player. Produced with the minimum of physical effort, but perfectly timed, they sped over the net in low trajectory, varied in speed and pace off the ground, and were placed wih accuracy which sorely tried the receivers.

FINCHER NEEDS REST.

The New Zealander's quick covering of the court left Fincher completely overshadowed, but Teddy accomplished plenty of sound work in his quiet and unobtrusive way, athough it is obvious that he needs a complete rest from the game for a few weeks. He is stale to a point of losing his fine touch and control—an omninous sign with a player who relies so much upon finesse.

The Rumjahn's, possibly a little out of practice, could never reach the same heights as they attain in subduing local opponents, but they displayed their usual courage and pertinncity, and were at their best in the third set.

LESSONS OF THE MATCH.

The match demonstrated once again, the point I stressed in the *Telegraph* on Saturday last, of the wonderful value to our local players of contact on the court with exponents of the Andrew's calibre. The Rumjahns and Fincher could not help but gain new and important ideas in many phases of the game, and if these lessons are reflected in their future play, then we shall see an improvement in all three players.

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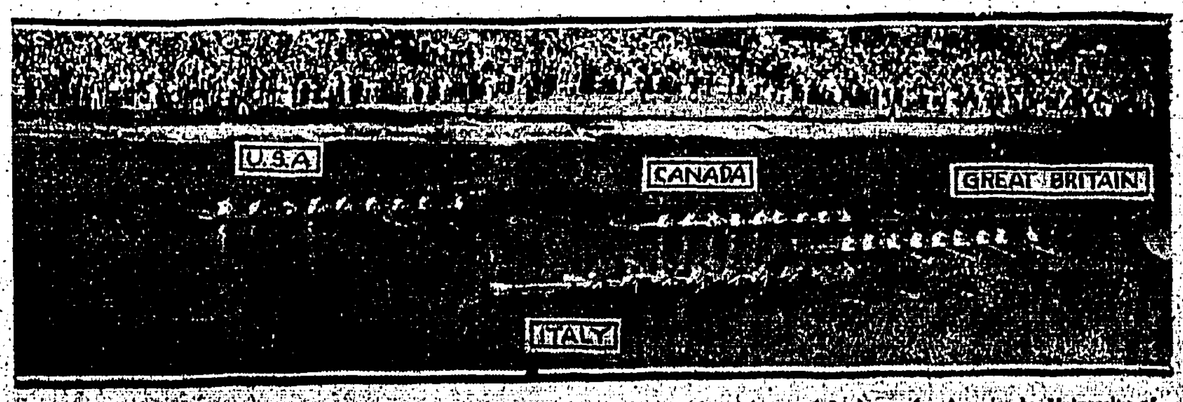

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Badges admitting to Members' Enclosure will NOT be on sale at the Race Course.

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By Order,
S. A. SLEAP,
Actg. Secretary.
Hongkong, 19th September, 1932.

THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB.

The Ninth Extra Race Meeting is declared abandoned with the exception of the race for the Fifth Aggregate Stakes, which will be incorporated in the Tenth Extra Race Meeting to be held (weather permitting) at Happy Valley on Saturday, 24th September, 1932.

Entrance Fees and Gate money will be refunded on application.

By Order of the Stewards,
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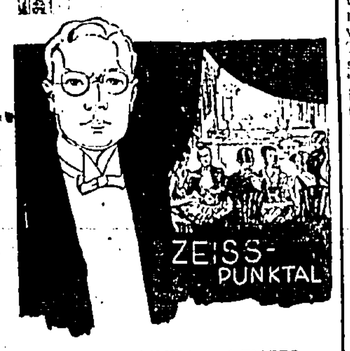
Hongkong, 17th September, 1932.



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CINEMA SCREENINGS.

NOTES SUPPLIED BY THE THEATRES

A motion picture of particular interest has been screened to packed houses and will be shown for the last time at the Central Theatre today. This picture is the newest Universal special comedy-drama of a tangled love affair, with Sidney Fox in the featured role and a cast which also includes Frances Dee, Alan Mombray, Russell Gleason, Carmel Myers and Lucille Webster Gleason. "Nice Women" presents the Demure Miss Fox as a younger sister who poses as an expert in affairs of the heart, only to confess later that her apparent sophistication is only a pretence. And then, bringing the picture to a surprising finish, she embarks as a real siren who needs all the arts of love—and gets what her heart desires.

Frances Dee is seen as Sidney's elder sister, and Alan Mowbray as a philandering bachelor who finds himself entangled with three girls at once, not to mention the outraged sweetheart of one of them. "Nice Women" was directed by Edwin H. Knopf, from the famous Broadway play of the same name by Wm. A. Grew.

"The Strange Case of Clara Deane."

"What do you consider the most unusual event in your life?" This question, asked of members of the cast of "The Strange Case of Clara Deane," by a newspaperman visiting the Paramount studios recently, elicited some unusual replies. Amongst these Wynne Gibson, the star of the picture, said her greatest surprise came when she realised she was playing in a successful show after several years in "flop" plays that never arrived on Broadway from the hinterland. Her first stage success came in "Jarnegan" with Richard Bennett. Pat O'Brien claimed his greatest shock came when, after signing a contract to play in the film version of "The Front Page," he was told he would portray Hildy Johnson, the reporter, instead of the managing editor, which he had played with great success on the stage. Frances Dee recalled that she received the greatest surprise of her life when she walked into a studio casting office, asked for work and got it! This was in 1929, and since that time Miss Dee has been well on the way to screen success as a Paramount contract player. This galaxy of stellar dramatic talent and many other artists with outstanding histrionic reputations enact the story of "The Strange Case of Clara Deane," which will be shown at the King's Theatre from Thursday next.

"Caught."

Richard Arlen adds to his ever-growing fame as a portrayer of Western classic roles in "Caught," the Paramount talkie of life in the mining "boom" towns of the 80's which is now showing at the Oriental Theatre. This popular star, who w. seen as the secret service agent in "The Conquering Horde," as "Steve" in "The Virginian" and as the mustang-hunter in "Gun Smoke," here plays the part of Lieut. Colton, the leader of a detachment of cavalry which is sent to the outlaw country to preserve order. Frances Dee and Louise Dresser have prominent roles.

J. Weissmuller as "Tarzan" Hero.

All records for camera angles were broken at the Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer studios when fourteen cameras were used to photograph a difficult jungle sequence of "Tarzan, the Ape Man," coming on Thursday to the Queen's Theatre. This is the filmization of the famous Edgar Rice Burroughs adventure story in which Johnn. Weissmuller, world's champion swimmer, plays the title role.

In this particular sequence, Weissmuller swings through trees with a herd of apes, across an area nearly a city block in length. Heavy undergrowth, vines and low-hanging tree limbs made it impossible to employ the usual methods of photographing action that covers a large area.

"But the Flesh Is Weak."

To-day's cinema says this adaptation of Ivor Novello's successful stage play, "The Truth Game," will surely hold an especial appeal for British patrons. Not only is it a scintillating comedy dealing with the life of London's "upper ten," but it is deliciously characterised by as distinctive an all-round cast as has appeared in any talkie to date, among which the British section is by no means the least significant. The story is what really nice young girls would describe as "naughty" in distinction to the more universal label of "daring."

"Robert Montgomery gives one of his best amusing performances as the irreproachable romantic schemer, while his leading lady, Nora Gregor, with her breathless charm and fascinating accent, is something quite new in screen heroines. Just the same, it is possible that British audiences will get their biggest kick from the fine serio-comic study by Heather Thatcher of the straight-talking Lady Joan, and from the moving fidelity of the creative of the pathetic old dad by C. Aubrey Smith easily his best work to date. Other players who should be mentioned for their contribution to an all-round acting achievement include Edward Horton as a jealous lover, Frederick Kerr as a typically choleric old peer, and Nils Asther as the gigoloesque princeling.

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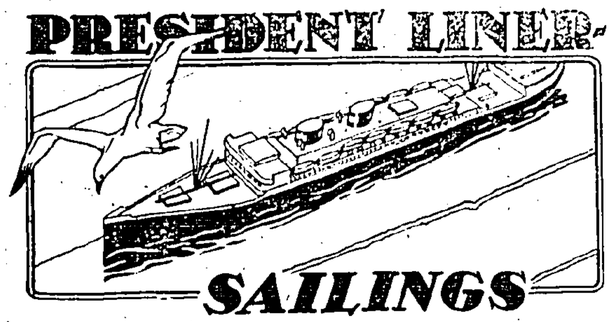

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JURY MAKES COMMENTS IN FRAUD CASE

"We find the prisoner guilty on all counts, and especially recommend mercy in view of the slipshod book-keeping management," was the verdict of the jury sitting at the Criminal Sessions yesterday before the Puisne Judge (Mr. Justice Wood), when Hara Ije Tani, harbour-runner for Messrs. Gande, Price and Co., was charged with falsification of accounts, uttering forged dies (two counts) and embezzlement.

Prisoner, who was represented by Mr. Leo d'Almada, jnr., pleaded guilty to the first charge of falsification of accounts, and when questioned by His Lordship stated he had no intention to defraud.

His Lordship: Is it a false entry.—No. It is a correct one.

His Lordship: Then you plead not guilty on the first count.

Prisoner pleaded not guilty on the second and third charges and was told by His Lordship to plead not guilty on the fourth.

The jury was comprised as follows:—Messrs. J. F. Anderson (foremen), A. G. Everitt, D. L. Propea, J. Pooler, E. M. Da Roche, Cheng Ping and E. Quillan.

In the first charge concerning $1,278.40; it was alleged that prisoner, with intent to defraud, made a false entry in an account belonging to Messrs. Gande, Price and Co. purporting to show that in March 21 an account amounting to $1,278.40 was outstanding against the captain and owner of the Osaka Shosen Kaisha Co. The second and third charges related to the uttering of false impressions of the dies of officials of the N.Y.K. and O.S.K. companies. The fourth was in respect of $294.60 received by him in the name of Messrs. Gande, Price and Co. from the N.Y.K. company which he failed to hand over to the company.

Former Harbour Runner.

Mr. T. S. Whyte-Smith, prosecuting on behalf of the Crown, stated that prisoner had been in the employ of Messrs. Gande, Price and Co. for some years as a harbour runner. His duties had been to go to various Japanese boats and secure orders for wines, spirits and cigarettes. Having obtained the orders it was his duty to see the goods were released from bond and put on board ship. It was also his duty to collect accounts from the ships companies.

About the 10th. of each month he was supposed to hand in to Messrs. Gande, Price and Co. a list showing debts outstanding against the shipping companies. On April 12 the manager asked him to produce a list of these accounts. He handed one to the manager but there were no chops on it. It was submitted that the list was almost entirely forged. It would be shown in evidence that the amount of $1,278.40 tallied within a dollar, with the amount shown in the books of the O.S.K. company in respect of the Buenos Aires Maru. On receipt of the list from the accused the manager was surprised to see how large the outstanding accounts were and asked the accused about it.

Tani stated that it was due to the trouble in Manchuria and suggested that they did not press for settlement as they might lose business. The manager suggested that accused take the list to the offices of the N.Y.K. and the O.S.K. and get the companies' chops to show that the companies admitted liability. Accused came back with the list on April 13 duly chopped.

Prisoner Ill.

For the next four days accused was not at the office and was said to be ill. On April 18 he came into the office and paid $500, which he stated was a payment in connexion with the account of the Santos Maru. He later stated that he would pay in some more money on April 25. He was not seen in the office again and the next heard of him was that he was in Shanghai. On June 19 accused was arrested after being brought from Shanghai. When he was found, the books of the company had been examined and it was found that several amounts paid by the O.S.K. company and the N.Y.K. had not been paid over by the accused. The amount in this connexion totalled $294 and represented the third charge.

Accused sometimes paid by crossed cheques, sometimes by compradores' orders and sometimes by cash. Crossed cheques were always handed over to Messrs. Gande, Price and Co., so there were no defalcations as regards those cheques. After accused was arrested and charged with uttering false documents he said "I did use forged chops."

Evidence for the Crown was given by officials of the firms concerned.

Counsel's Contention.

No evidence was called for the defence.

Mr. d'Almada said it was a well-known principle of English law that the greater the crime the greater the degree of evidence necessary in order to convict. The evidence in the second and third charges was, in his opinion, purely inferential. There was no direct evidence that he uttered the chops. In connexion with the fourth, there was evidence that money was paid to Tani and was not received by Messrs. Gande, Price and Co. It was possible that a mistake could have been made with that money.

"You have heard the case supported by evidence largely showing the possibility of error in the method of keeping the accounts," said Mr. d'Almada. "If, in your opinion, this method has possibly resulted in the disappearance of certain sums of money by some manner other than the agency of the defendant, I submit defendant is entitled to the benefit of the doubt and should be discharged."

Following the verdict of the jury, Mr. d'Almada said: "This is one of money cases which at first sight may possibly show nothing at all in favour of the prisoner, but it cannot be doubted that if certain vigilance and certain strict methods of business routine had been carried out by the firm, there would be no occasion for the offences committed by the defendant.

The Puisne Judge: "The jury find you guilty, unanimously, on each of the four counts. They have recommended leniency not on account of anything you have done but because they think the accounts might have been more strictly kept. Your counsel has said all that can be said for you. Suggestions have been made that you defrauded Messrs. Gande, Price and Co. of still larger sums of money. In passing sentence I am not taking into account all that, and it is always possible that the Crown may bring other charges against you for other sums of money. The jury have asked for leniency and I am going to pass a sentence which is as lenient as seems to me to be possible—three years imprisonment with hard labour, on each count to run concurrently.

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ELIMINATION OF HARTALS.

AIMS OF NEW INDIAN LEGISLATION

Poona, Sept. 19.

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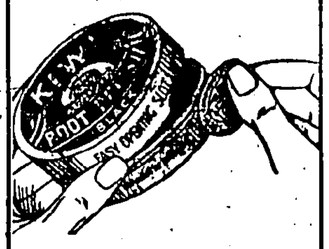

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Pass.

Margery Alice Rice 76
Wong Yuet Laan 73
Margaret Grace Stickland 67

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Honours.

Clement Leong 96
Karagdag Amparo 81
Maria Albers 80
Florence Shook Yuen Tong ... 80

Pass.

Winifred Smith 76
Tsok Pih Sing 72
Fanlo Amparo 71
Julius Joseph Levintoff 71
Yu Sheung Woon 65

INTERMEDIATE.

Honours.

Lai Chung Yue 84
Luk San Lin 81
Raymonde Blackmore 81

Pass.

Choy Po Chu 77
Daisy Woo 77
Marion Tillery 75
Okamoto Michiko 74
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Florence Alma Grimmitt 76
Margaret Robson Bell 76
Ching Wai Kei 76
Elizabeth Rosseau 76
Choy Wing Lum 76
Stanley To 75
Sophie Tai 75
Joan Laurenson 73
Tong Fung Shue 73
Saito Etsuko 71
Ching Wai Man 70
Kwok Tin Yau 68
Jessie Wong 66
Eileen Prigent 65
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LEAP YEAR BRIDE

(Continued from Page 3.)

enough there! "I'm going to Hollywood to write for the movies!"

The bell rang and she answered it. Yvonne had arrived, prompt to the minute. Brenda began to snap out orders to the girl.

"Remember—the cocktails in the crystal glasses. Yes, they're ready. I mixed them myself. The shaker on the tray. Yes, of course! You'd better begin right away with the sandwiches!"

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A messenger delivered the box of yellow roses and Brenda arranged them in a low bowl. She placed the bowl on the table beside the davenport, then moved it to the opposite side of the room where the flowers were reflected in a mirror.

The setting must be exactly right. Every detail was important. Brenda stepped back in the doorway, surveying the living room. A fire was crackling in the fireplace and the dancing flames cast a warm glow over the room. She pulled a chair nearer to the hearth. That was for Mr. Harris. She would take the davenport where the light was flattering and the table for the cocktail tray conveniently near.

Brenda moved to the fireplace, held out fingers that were icy to the blaze.

"It's because I'm nervous," she told herself, "and there's no reason for it. Of course everything's going to be all right!"

She went back to the kitchenette to give Yvonne final instructions. It was 20 minutes past four now.

"He'll be here any minute," Brenda assured herself. She took a cigarette from a lacquered box, lighted it and placed it to her lips. Then she sat down. It amused her to think of Dan Phillips. Headache—she had managed that very nicely! How could she bother with that tiresome youth when the great chance of her career was at hand?

"So he's given up his job!" she thought. "Won't he be surprised to hear the news. The idiot! There'll be a scene, of course. Well, he's brought the whole thing on himself!"

Brenda shrugged, smiling. An instant later the bell rang and Yvonne hurried through the room to answer it.

"Now!" Brenda whispered to herself. "Now—!"

There were voices in the foyer. Another instant and a figure flung itself through the doorway. Dan Phillips stood there waving something in his hand.

"Brenda!" he cried. "What does this mean?"

(To be continued.)

LONDON COMMENTS.

ANNIVERSARY DAY RAISES MANY QUESTIONS

London, Sept. 19.

The anniversary of the coup d'etat at Mukden was signalised to-day by special articles in several Liberal organs, drawing attention to the disparity between the Japanese protestations then and the subsequent developments.

The *News Chronicle* hopes that Sir John Simon will reassure American opinion by a "sudden access of strength at the eleventh hour." The League, it thinks, can do little, but anywise, it must stop dead short of glossing over the affair to save trouble. It would be far better to declare that Japan had forfeited its membership to the League.

The *Manchester Guardian* ironically comments on the open door with "a new disconcerting grille," namely the proviso that the door is only open to the recognisers of the independence of the Government at Chanchun, and adds that the Tokio Foreign Office cannot take its chances in the matter seriously.

Meanwhile the fate of the Newchwang captives is arousing widespread anxiety the *Daily Express* criticises Sir John Simon's apparent inactivity and contrasts the Japanese vigour after the murder of Nakumara and the Italian action when the missionaries were besieged at Lachowhow.—*Reuter.*

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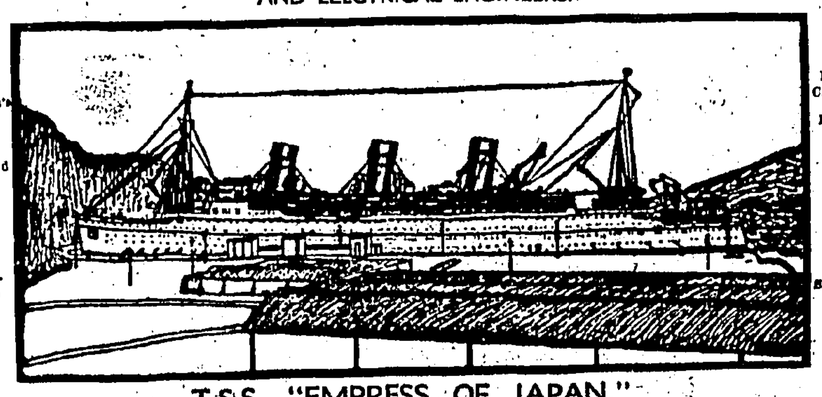

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BEER DUTY CAUSES HEAVY REDUCTION

The Earl of Iveagh stated at the meeting of Arthur Guinness, Son and Company, held at River Plate House, London, that the decreased profit on the year of £774,000 compared with the previous year was due to two causes; the general depression and, mainly, to the additional beer duty of thirty-one shillings per standard barrel which was imposed in the Emergency Budget of last year and continued this year. Until the duty was repealed profits would be adversely affected. A considerable reduction was long over-due in the interests of all concerned, including the revenue itself.

Replying to a stockholder, Lord Iveagh said he could not estimate how the present trouble in Ireland would affect their business. Every man must judge of the future for himself. That applied not only to Ireland but to all parts of the world.

CORDITE FACTORY EXPLOSION

MEN SAVED BY PROTECTIVE EARTHWORKS.

London, Aug. 14.

An explosion occurred at the Royal Naval Cordite Factory, Holton Health, near Wareham, Dorset yesterday, but there were no serious personal injuries.

Four men, who were working near the scene, were taken to the factory hospital, but were found to be suffering only from slight shock and were allowed to go home.

The explosion occurred in the pressing shed, where about 20lb. of cordite blew up and took off the roof of the shed.

In June last year, ten men were killed and several injured in an explosion at the factory which employs between 200 and 300 workers.

Captain Hammond, the factory superintendent, said that the men who were pressing the cordite worked from behind earth traverses, and these protected them from the force of the explosion which went harmlessly upward.

THE PROBLEM OF WORLD JEWRY

GENEVA CONFERENCE.

A conference is being held at Geneva for a preliminary discussion on the position of world-Jewry. This congress has not been convened by the Zionist Organisation, but it is anticipated that the position of the Zionists and the future of Palestine may receive fresh treatment during the proceedings.

To British observers, indeed, the discussions in regard to the Holy Land may have the greatest interest, for obviously the situation of world-Jewry, which subscribes to the Zionist colonies, has the closest possible influence on the Jewish settlers in Palestine, who consume those subscriptions.

There is little doubt that few peoples have been hit harder by the financial depression of the past three years than the Jews. For the Jew lives, more comprehensively perhaps than any other folk, on the free circulation of capital, on private trade, on capitalist exploitation, if you will.

The partial drying-up of these channels has, therefore, weakened considerably both the individual and the world position of the Jew, who, it is said by Zionist apologists, not only often cannot afford any longer to keep up his subscriptions to the "upbuilding of Palestine" but also has a difficult job to make ends meet himself.

In Russia, curiously enough, the Jew, who before the Bolshevist Revolution was engaged almost wholly in private trade and has since, by the very nature of that Revolution, been denied the right to carry on his former existence, has not failed in the material sense.

It is claimed, indeed, that the Bolshevists are solving their Jewish problem, first by settling the Jews as agricultural colonists on State-given land, and secondly by extinguishing their Judaism. Orthodox Jews in other countries are lamenting the practical disappearance in Russia of Judaism.

But it is with the Judaising of Palestine rather than with the de-Judaising of other countries that the Zionists are primarily concerned. Since those halcyon days of 1925, when some 30,000 immigrants entered Palestine, each year, almost, has brought to the Zionist organisation and co-operating Jewish bodies (who may together now be summed up as the Jewish Agency) its own special problems. Over-shadowing all, however, is the falling-off in the subscriptions to Zionist enterprises. This decrease in Zionist funds is perhaps the cardinal feature of the Palestine problem at the moment, and it has given a "new angle" to Zionist propaganda.

The tendency now is to represent Palestine to the external Jew not so much as the land of idealism but as a land in which investment of capital may reasonably be expected to yield a return.

If this Jewish development of Palestine on a strictly "business" basis is persisted in—as seems probable—and if they subscriptions to Zionist funds in general never regain their former standard—as also seems probable—it will mean an end to some of uneconomic though much-vaunted agricultural Zionist colonies.

RENNES OUTRAGE

DISCOVERY OF SEDITIOUS TRACTS

Paris, Aug. 14.

A new turn has taken place in the affair of the Breton separatist outrage at Rennes.

Four out of six of the accused who had admitted their culpability before the Juge d'Instruction have retracted, but the judical authorities found a folded paper behind a radiator in the Palace of Justice giving them orders to be silent. The handwriting has led to its owner's identity being discovered. It was the young editor of a newly-founded Rennes newspaper recently dismissed for betraying professional secrets. Up to the present his whereabouts have not been traced.

One of the accused is a young conscript and several seditious tracts have been seized in his room in the barracks.

A council of war took place at Rennes last night lasting until 2 o'clock this morning, at which the judicial and police authorities took part, it is believed, on the request of the Government, but strict silence is kept as to what has transpired.

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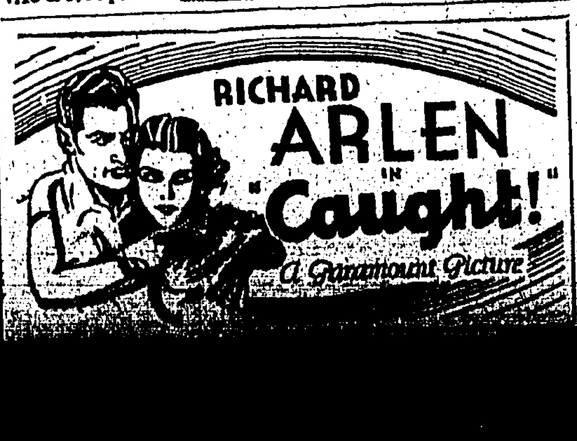

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London, Sept. 20.

Tremendous admiration for the pluck of Mrs. Pawley, the young victim of Manchurian bandits, has been aroused throughout Britain by the publication in London of a remarkable letter which was smuggled through from the captive woman to her father.

In a remarkable human document, Mrs. Pawley pleads:

"Please get us out of this Hell Incarnate"

and yet simultaneously heroically asks her father to send her a powder-puff and lipstick.

Mrs. Pawley's mother-in-law, interviewed by the *Daily Mail* paid a glowing tribute to her daughter-in-law's spirit.

MAGNIFICENT PLUCK.

The publication of the letter was, she said, the first news that they had received since Mrs. Pawley's capture. It did at least lighten the awful burden. It gave her reason to hope that things might not be so bad as they had seemed.

She added: "What magnificent pluck—Hell Incarnate she calls it. Yet she can ask for lipstick."

The letter seems to remove the last doubts of the safety of Mrs. Pawley and Mr. Charles Corkran. Last week, fears were entertained that they had been killed.

BOTH ALIVE.

Mrs. Pawley's letter refers to "us" showing that both are well and together.

This morning it was reported that Mrs. Pawley's father had received a demand for the payment of $700,000 within a week and that he had asked the bandits to send representatives to Newchwang to open negotiations.—*Reuter.*

JUNK SINKS IN TYPHOON

STEAMER RESCUES TEN OF CREW

A large trading junk, plying between Pakhoi and Hainan, was caught in the typhoon on Saturday night with the result that she capsized and foundered. Ten members of the crew of eleven were rescued by the s.s. Commandant Henri Rivieri after fourteen hours' immersion in the water, while the other man, an invalid, was drowned when the junk capsized.

When the Commandant Henri Rivieri, Captain P. B. Morganti, arrived in port, at about 5 p.m. yesterday from Pakhoi, a report was made at the Harbour Office relating to the rescue. The men were seen clinging to their capsized junk 15 miles N. 60° E. of Mofu Hill, and when picked up by the Commandant Henri Rivieri were all in an exhausted condition.

PREMIER'S VISIT TO LONDON

INTERVIEW WITH SIR JOHN SIMON

London, Sept. 19.

The Prime Minister, who is staying at Chequers pending the wedding to-morrow of his daughter, paid a visit to London to-day and had an interview with the Foreign Secretary, Sir John Simon, who will leave to-morrow

LORD LYTTON ON FORECASTS

"INTELLIGENT ANTICIPATION"

DIFFICULTY OF MANCHURIA

Bombay, Sept. 20.

"Intelligent anticipation" is how the Earl of Lytton summed up the forecasts of his Commission's Report on the Manchuria Situation to the League.

He arrived here to-day on his way to Europe, but apart from the reference to the published guesses, refused to make any comment regarding the Report.

He hoped, however, that it would prove acceptable and would form a basis for a permanent settlement of the Sino-Japanese dispute.

UNDER JAPANESE CONTROL.

He described the condition of Manchuria as very serious and said it was a most difficult place. There were, he said, about 13,000,000 souls in the Chinese population, under the control of about 200,000 Japanese.

He added that it was, of course, open to Japan to take the country by force, which would, however, mean no peace for the rest of the world.—*Reuter.*

FAMOUS AIRMAN INJURED

SCHNEIDER PILOT IN MISHAP

HIS SECOND IN A MONTH

London, Sept. 19.

Flight Lieutenant Stainforth, the famous Schneider Trophy pilot and the holder of the world's air speed record of 407.5 miles an hour, met with his second accident in a month to-day.

He was injured in a flying mishap while alighting in a field at the Lizard, Cornwall, where he is a guest of the well-known civil aviation expert, The Master of Sempill.

Lieut. Stainforth was carrying a passenger in his machine and both suffered injuries, though in neither case are they reported to be serious.

Stainforth was flying near Reading, Berks, recently when the propellor of a machine he was testing came off. He was at a tremendous height at the time of the accident, fortunately, and he glided fourteen miles to safety, landing perfectly on the outskirts of the town and did not suffer a scratch.—*British Wireless.*

TEA FIRMS WANT MORE

HIGHER PREFERENCE URGED

London, Sept. 20.

The question of providing a higher preference for Empire teas which despite the existing preferential duty are in a more depressed state that before the Budget has been raised by several firms of growers.

According to the *Morning Post*, they have addressed a letter to the Indian Tea Association requesting that it take advisory steps with the Government and recommending a higher pre-

A fight to a finish has been declared by Free State Ministers, coincidentally with Mr. de Valera's departure for Geneva. Every method is being employed to defeat Britain in the economic war. Photo above was taken at Loughree in Co. Galway.

CABINET BREACH SPECULATION

IMPORTANT MEETING NEXT WEEK.

London, Sept. 19.

A meeting of the Cabinet to begin final consideration of the legislation arising out of the Ottawa Agreements has been summoned for September 28th.

Ministers now on holiday will, by that time, have returned to London and Sir John Simon will also be back from Geneva.

Meanwhile, the recent meetings of the Liberal Ministers continue to give rise to speculation, particularly in the Liberal press, regarding their attitude towards the Ottawa agreements. No official announcement on the subject is likely until after the Cabinet meeting.—*British Wireless.*

LIU SEEKS PEACE

SURPRISED BY GEN. HAN

(Special to "Telegraph.")

Peking, Sept. 20.

In a telegram to General Han Fu-chu, the Governor of Shantung, General Liu Chen-nien expresses surprise at the reports of Han Fu-Chu's military movements in East Shantung!

The telegram is so phrased as to give the impression that he doesn't know what the quarrel is about.

He says that military leaders throughout the country should cooperate during the present national crisis instead of engaging in further internal strife.

"In order to avoid a possible misunderstanding, therefore, and to show that I have no ulterior motives, I have ordered my troops to withdraw to the rear."—*Reuter.*

LIU IN RETREAT.

Peking, Sept. 20.

The latest Chinese message from Tsinanfu states that after evacuating Pintu, General Liu Chen-ning has retreated to Yehhsien, where he is still holding out. General Han Fu-chu it at present directing operations at Changi.—*Reuter.*

For driving up Wyndham Street, without the permission in writing of the I.G.P., Miss C. W. Proshaw, living at 520, The Peak, was summoned before Mr. Schofield this morning. Pleading guilty through a representative, she was fined $10.

Banished on September 14th this year after a conviction for larceny and another for a breach of the Opium Ordinance, a Chinese was arrested yesterday and charged before Mr. Fraser at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning. In passing sentence of nine months' hard labour, Mr. Wrigley

TATE WELL AGAIN

TO CATCH UP WITH M.C.C. TEAM

London, Sept. 19.

Maurice Tate will go to Australia. All doubts on this score have now been dispelled.

It was officially announced by the M.C.C. to-day that Tate has undergone a medical examination and has been pronounced almost fit.

He will report at Lord's on Wednesday for his passport and will catch a train on Thursday, travelling overland to join the other members of the M.C.C. Australian team aboard the Orontes at Toulon or Naples.

Had Tate been unable to travel, it would have been a very severe loss to the England side, the inability of R.W.V. Robins to make the trip leaving a gap which only Tate could fill satisfactorily.—*Reuter.*

BROWN RETAINS TITLE

GLASGOW OPPONENT DISQUALIFIED

London, Sept. 19.

In a keen contest at Manchester to-night, Jackie Brown successfully defended his British flyweight championship title.

His opponent, Jim Maharg (Glasgow) was disqualified in the eighth round for hitting low.—*Reuter.*

BIG FIGHT POSTPONED.

New York, Sept. 19.

The contest arranged between Mickey Walker and Max Schmeling, the German heavyweight champion, has been postponed until September 26. A boil has developed on Walker's arm and he cannot go into the ring for a week.—*Reuter.*

THE LONDON BUS STRIKE OFF

L.G.O.C. DROP WAGE CUT PROGRAMME

London, Sept. 20.

The London bus strike, which was fixed to begin on Thursday this week, has been averted.

A meeting of the Busmen's Conference held last night decided to refer the modified proposals of the London General Omnibus Company to their branches with a recommendation of acceptance.

The Company's modified

THE COLONY'S BUDGET
No Taxation Changes Considered Likely

BIG PUBLIC WORKS

C.B.S., G.C.H. AND GAOL ON PROGRAMME

$27,500,000 SOUGHT

No increases in and no relief in local taxation are likely to be announced when the Budget is introduced in Legislative Council on Thursday.

The Appropriation Bill provides for the expenditure of $27,585,142 (as compared with $26,641,787 last year) apart from the Military Contribution and the Public Debt Charges which will require at least $6,000,000 more.

Comparisons between the Estimates for 1933 and 1932 are impossible, a technical change in their presentation having been adopted in deference to the wishes of the Unofficials and the views expressed last year by the Auditor.

DEPARTMENTAL COSTS.

The Estimates now show the entire cost of each department of government, the omnibus heads, Cadet Service, Senior Clerical and Accounting Staff and Junior Clerical Service having been eliminated. Thus the S.C.A., for example is charged with $199,425 for 1933, whereas the amount shown in the 1932 estimates was merely $27,000. Personal emoluments chargeable to each department are now shown under the cost of that department.

The Public Works Department is spending a total of slightly over $5,350,000 in 1933 under the headings, Recurrent and Extraordinary, as against slightly less than $3,700,000 estimated expenditure for 1932.

The chief works to be commenced are the highly necessary new Gaol, the new Government Civil Hospital and the new Central British School.

THE ESTIMATES.

The estimates of expenditure follow:

His Excellency the Governor	$ 182,165
Colonial Secretary's Department	323,429
S. C. A.	189,425
Treasury	305,732
Audit Department	119,473
District Office, North	84,539
District Office, South	58,443
Post Office	531,094
Wireless Tel. Services	164,735
Imports and Exports	836,309
Harbour Department	1,279,115
Air Services	149,282
Royal Observatory	74,556
Fire Brigade	308,703

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Quo Tai-chi.

QUO INVOKES TREATY

STRONGLY-WORDED NOTES

PUPPET STATE'S FUTURE

GENEVA, SEPT. 19.

"JAPAN IS FOLLOWING THE PRECEDENT OF KOREA AND HAS ESTABLISHED A VIRTUAL PROTECTORATE IN MANCHURIA AS A STEP TOWARDS ANNEXATION.

"Japan has thus set the seal upon her policy of tearing up international treaties and virtually rejects in advance the Lytton Report," declares Dr. W. W. Yen, the Chinese delegate to the League, in a letter dated Saturday to Sir Eric Drummond, the Secretary-General.

Dr. Yen appeals to the Council to hasten action in order to uphold the decisions of the League. He adds that the Chinese Government remains as ever ready to discuss an equitable solution of the dispute, but must strongly condemn the policy pursued by Japan to detach Manchuria from China.—*Reuter and British Wireless.*

FEATURES OF NOTE TO BRITAIN

London, Sept. 19.

The Chinese Note on the recognition of Manchukuo by Japan, which was handed to Sir John Simon at the Foreign Office by Mr. Quo Tai-chi, the new Chinese Minister in London, to-day, follows much the same lines as the communication received at Geneva.

The Note claims that a serious situation has been precipitated by Japan's recognition of the Manchukuo Government "constituting a direct violation of China's sovereignty, as well as her territorial and administrative integrity."

VIRTUAL PROTECTORATE.

The Nanking Foreign Office describes Japan's action in Manchuria as an attempt to establish a virtual Protectorate over that part of China's territory and says that Japan has attempted to deceive the world by advancing the ridiculous argument that the so-called Manchukuo was brought into existence by Chinese citizens who desired to secede from the Chinese Republic.

The undeniable facts show, the Note goes on, that the bogus government in Manchuria is the product of Japanese military aggression, pure and simple.

JAPANESE DICTATION.

It is pointed out that great numbers of Japanese officials, who are directly responsible to the Japanese Government in Tokyo are dictating the policies of the puppet administrative organisation in Manchuria, while the masses in Manchuria are under the constant oppression and intimidation by Japanese militarists.

When the Japanese troops are withdrawn from Manchuria, China claims, Manchukuo will vanish completely.

SCRAP OF PAPER.

Concluding, the Note regards it as inconceivable that the Japanese action should go unchallenged and that the Nine-Power Treaty should be treated by the signatories as a scrap of paper.

The peace of the world, it declares, is ominously threatened. China therefore requests the Powers properly and effectively to deal with Japanese aggression in Manchuria.

Identical Notes have been sent to the other signatories of the Nine-Power Treaty.—*Reuter.*

JAPAN'S EFFORT

INVITES RECOGNITION OF MANCHUKUO.

Geneva, Sept. 20.

The terms of the Japanese-Manchukuo Protocol have been distributed by the League Secretariat.

A statement by the Japanese delegate, accompanying the Protocol, says that by the terms of the Treaty the Manchukuo Government will observe the Open Door and concludes by hoping that the "Powers will make no delay in establishing diplomatic relations with Manchukuo."—*Reuter.*

At the resumed hearing at the Criminal Sessions this morning, before the Chief Justice (Sir Joseph Kemp), of the case against Ip Kau for maliciously cutting and wounding an old man with intent to do grievous bodily harm, a sentence of 15 years' hard labour was passed.

The Royal Observatory reports that the anticyclone over South Manchuria has weakened. A trough of relatively low pressure extends from

GERMANY DISAPPOINTED BY BRITISH NOTE
SUGGESTS "COMPELLING REASONS" FOR EQUALITY DEMAND

Berlin, Sept. 20.

Profound disappointment has been caused throughout Germany by the stand taken in the British memorandum on Germany's claim to equality of amaments.

Germany expected that the British Government would be more conciliatory than is shown in the Note and would, at least, offer to mediate between Germany and France.

President Hindenburg this morning received Captain von Papen's report and the views of the Cabinet on the British Note.

COMPELLING REASON.

cept the British reasoning that Germany, without a compelling reason, has raised a political issue of vast implications."

Italy is known to favour Germany's claim, but the latest message from Rome indicates that despite Italy's support of the German demands, a further examination of the British statement has resulted in a more favourable impression in official circles.

Well-informed circles feel that the Note opens the door to negotiations which may lead to a solution acceptable to all parties.—*Reuter.*

MR. HENDERSON'S APPEAL.

Geneva, Sept. 19.

A strong appeal to the German

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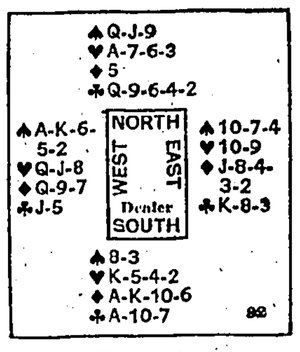
CONTRACT BRIDGE

By W. E. McKenney

To be rated as a good card player, one must be able to handle the defence well. After a certain amount of practice one can become proficient in playing the hand as declarer, but the problems confronting the defensive player are constantly changing.

I believe that the first and most important rule for a defensive player to follow is—don't take a chance on trying to make a trick if it will jeopardize your opportunity of setting a contract. The following hand has a very simple play—yet one that is often overlooked.



The Bidding

South bid one diamond. As explained to you a few days ago, you will find a change in the bidding of original no trumps. South's hand does not justify a no trump as the spade suit is not stopped, therefore the hand must be bid one diamond. West would bid one spade.

North would be justified in showing the spade suit stopped with a bid of one no trump—possibly it is a little dangerous to bid a no trump with the suit stopped only once, but he has a five-card suit that may fit in with partner's hand. Now South, after a bid of one no trump by partner, would be justified in jumping to three no trump.

The Play

It would be East's opening lead. His correct play is the top of his partner's suit—the ten of spades. Now West has two possible entries—the queen of diamonds and a heart, but he can also see that the declarer might make two hearts, two diamonds and several club tricks. The only way that he can hope to stop the hand is to find his partner with the club suit stopped, so he must not play his ace or king of spades to the first trick.

If he plays the king to the first trick, and follows with the ace, the declarer will win the third round of spades, and then East will not be able to return a spade.

However, if West plays a small spade, North, the declarer, will be forced to win the first spade trick. He will then have to lead a small club to dummy's ace and will return a club to his queen which East will win with the king and then West will be able to run off his four spade trick and defeat the declarer's contract.

A simple defensive play—the losing of one trick early in order to gain several.

DISCOUNT RATE.

IMMEDIATE REDUCTION EXPECTED IN BERLIN

Berlin, Sept. 19.

An immediate reduction in the discount rate is expected, following the decision in principle by the Bank of International Settlement at Basle, to rescind Article 29 of the Reichsbank law, thus giving the Reichsbank a free hand as regards the discount rate.—*Reuter.*

[A reduction from five to four per cent. was foreshadowed last week.]

FUNERAL OF LATE MR. COPPIN

HUNDREDS OF WREATHS AT GRAVESIDE

section of the community attend the funeral of the late Mr. A. G. Coppin last evening. Wreaths were piled high around the base of the Monument—a mark of the great esteem in which the late Mr. Coppin was held.

The Very Rev. Dean Swann conducted the graveside service.

Those present at the graveside included The Chief Justice (Sir Joseph Kemp), the Attorney General (Hon. Mr. G. G. Alabaster), Hon. Mr. A. E. Wood, Hon. Mr. W. E. L. Shenton, Hon. Mr. J. J. Paterson, Hon. Mr. E. Taylor, Hon. Mr. J. Owen Hughes, Rev. G. T. Waldegrave, Dr. F. Bunje Dr. Hahn, Messrs G. P. Lammert, P. Jacks, A. M. Bowes-Smith, C. W. Jeffries, B. D. Evans, W. A. Butterfield, W. A. Dowley, M. Montargis, L. Dunbar A. H. Ferguson, L.C.F. Bellamy, J. O. Sheppard, J. Finlay Miller, H. R. Forsyth, V. Sorby, P. D. Wilson, C. L. Sandes, H. R. B. Hancock, J. W. C. Bonnar, E. Lewis, F. M. Ellis, S. Berg, G. Harriman, F. P. Franklin, A. Hicks, G. Wetton, H. A. Pearson, S. Langston, R. Y. Frost, C. J. Cooke, S. S. Perry, F. H. Crapnell, L. J. Blackburn, G. Archbutt, H. Buxton, Denis Hazell, P. C. Potts, S. T. Butlin, F. Lobel, A. C. Ellis, G. Miskin, C. Blaker, A. O. Smith, H. Hills, D. L. Strellett, H. G. Williams, M. J. Quist, H. Ammann, J. A. Plummer, E. des Voeux, V. M. Grayburn, E. W. Hamilton, R. A. Rodgers, C. Jenkin, K. S. Morrison, A. Harropp, C. A. da Roza, H. E. Stone, E. Stone, E. Abraham, F. H. Mody, S. A. Sleap, C. Champkin.

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Mrs. S. A. R. Kitchell

The funeral of the late Mrs. Kitchell took place at the Mohammedan Cemetery yesterday and was attended by a large gathering. Those present included Dr. H. el Arculli, Messrs. S. H. Burgh, E. el Arculli, H. M. H. Hajee Esmail, D. Rumjahn, A. M. Rumjahn, A. Rahman Abbas, A. O. Madar, S. D. Mehal, K. S. Mehal, A. M. Abbas, R. Nazarin, A. R. Abbas, A. H. Madar, M. P. Madar, A. R. Dallah and E. R. Markar.

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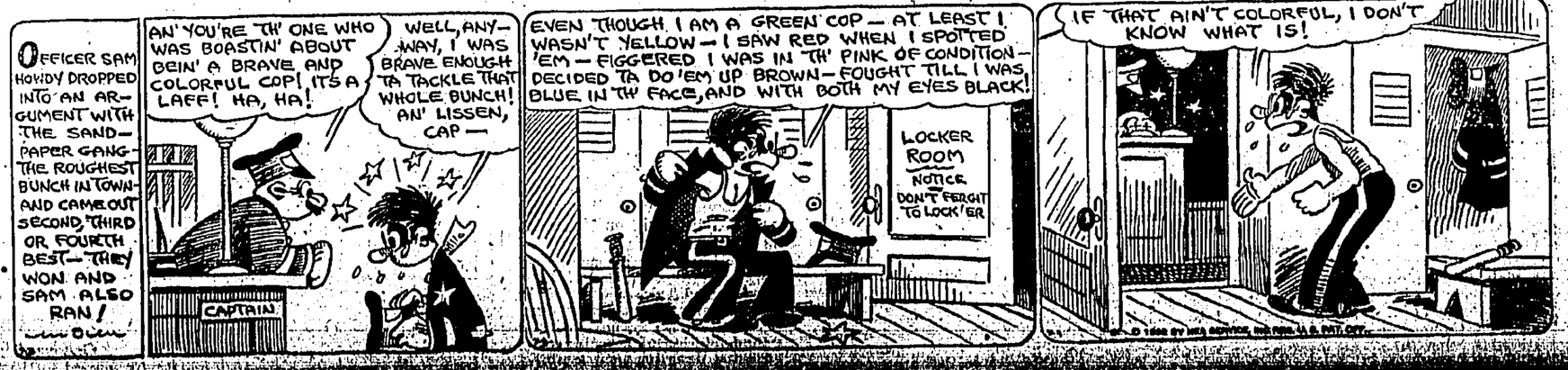

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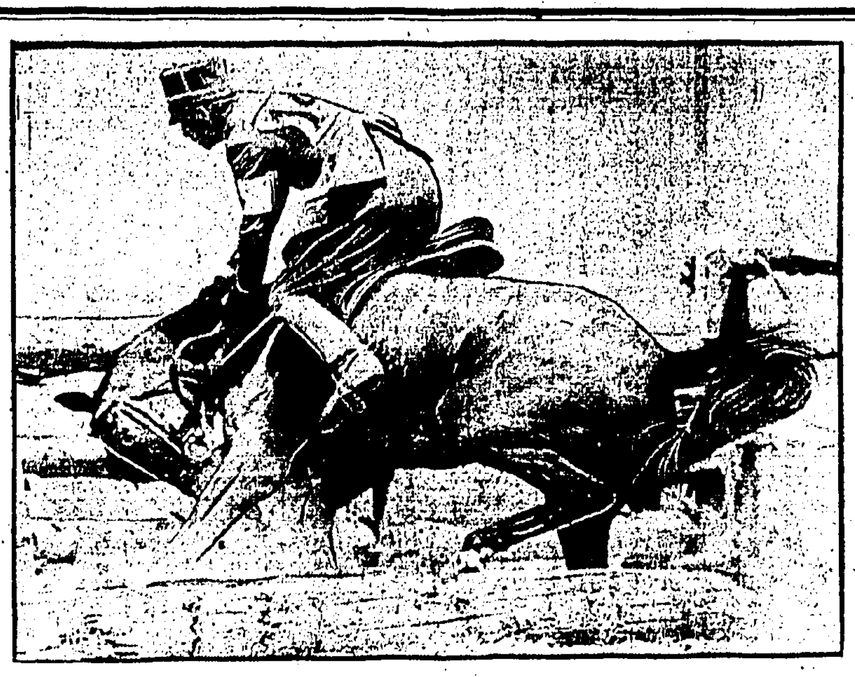
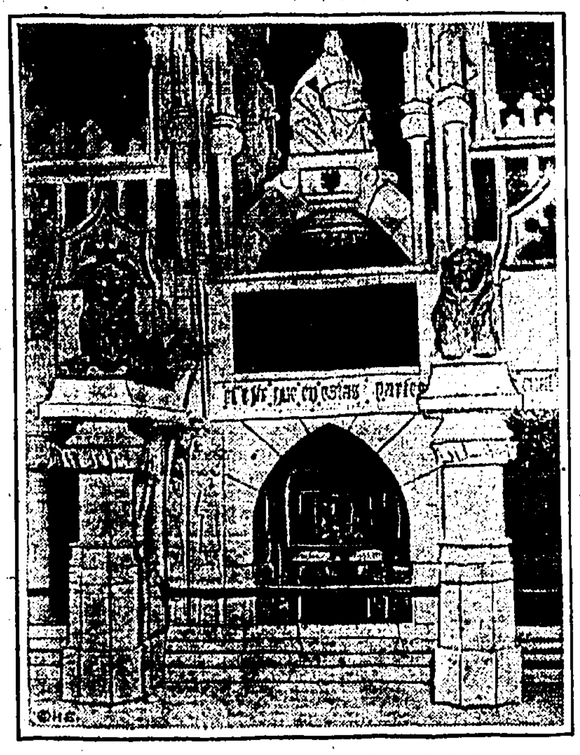
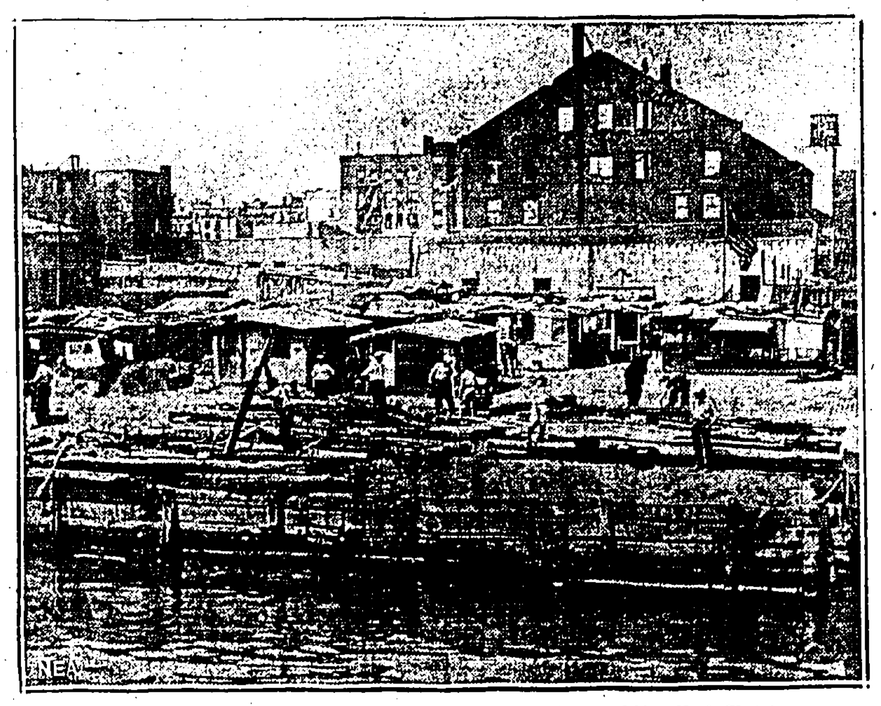


Lieut Arne Francke of the Swedish Olympic equestrian team, barely escaped a bad accident during the endurance steeplechase when his horse, Fridolin, balked at one of the jumps. An alert cameraman caught this picture just as the horse stopped. Francke then backed up the hore and made the jump.



The magnificent marble monument in the cathedral at Santo Domingo in which lie the bones of Christopher Columbus. The monument was built after Columbus' remains were discovered in the old cathedral in 1877.



This community of 60 shacks, built on the East river in the heart of New York City, is more exclusive than it looks. It is inhabited by jobless men who have their own mayor, community commissary, street cleaning squad and vigilante committee. No Communists are allowed in the settlement, over which an American flag is hoisted each day. Driftwood serves for fuel and building material; the river is their bath house; and odd jobs and donations of food allow the men to eke out a living.

General Nobuyoshid Muto, new commander of the Kwantung army. Inducted into his new post by Emperor Hirohito at an impressive ceremony in the imperial Villa at Nasu, General Muto succeeded General Honjo. General Muto is also special envoy to Manchukuo.

Felicitations from all parts of the world came to Mme. Nicholas Horthy de Nagybanya, wife of the virtual ruler of Hungary, on her birthday recently, when this portrait was taken. Since 1920, her husband has been regent of Hungary, a monarchy with a vacant throne.

Kaye Don, who was secretly married at the end of last week.

LEAP YEAR BRIDE

By Laura Lou BROOKMAN

BEGIN HERE TO-DAY

Cherry Dixon, pretty 19-year-old daughter of wealthy parents, marries Dan Phillips, newspaper reporter, after a quarrel with her parents. It is a Leap Year marriage and Cherry does the proposing.

She and Dan move into a cheap apartment and Cherry's first struggles with housework are discouraging. Dixie Shannon, movie critic of the News, is friendly. Cherry meets handsome Max Pearson, also of the News, who tries to make love to her. After several weeks Cherry's mother becomes seriously ill. The girl goes home and there is a reconciliation with her parents. Pride will not allow her to accept financial aid from them however. Mr. and Mrs. Dixon depart, seeking another climate to improve the mother's health.

Brenda Vail, magazine writer, comes to Wellington and Dan meets her. She asks him to collaborate in writing a play. Dan begins to spend most of his evenings at Miss Vail's apartment. Discord arises between Cherry and Dan. He agrees to meet her for lunch one day but fails to appear. Later she sees him with Brenda.

Cherry accuses Dan of deceiving her and they quarrel. He leaves the apartment and when he returns Cherry is gone. A week passes in which he does not hear from her. Dan asks Brenda to go to New York with him. She agree to go—in a week.

CHAPTER XLIV.

Brendal Vail spread more of the bulish-grey paste on her face. She smeared it on like a mask beginning at the edge of the towel, pinned tightly about her forehead, and working downward to the base of her neck. She patted the soft, wet compound with her fingers and when she had finished only her eyes and mouth showed. The eyes looked like slits in the grey mask. Brenda's lips, usually so vividly crimson, were pallid and pressed together in a tight line. Selfish lips. Quick tempered lips. Cruel lips.

At last the mask was done and Brenda inspected herself in the mirror of the dressing table. Though the effect was far from flattering she seemed satisfied.

Here in the privacy of her bedroom Brenda had abandoned the luxurious chiffons and satins she usually wore. A cotton kimonn, faded and soiled, was draped about her, fastened at the waist by a safety pin. Her hair was concealed by the turban-like towel. Shapeless bedroom slippers covered her feet.

She rose from the dressing table, went to the chaise longue and lay back against it with a little after two o'clock. Brenda closed her eyes, relaxing as magazine articles by beauty experts always advise.

There was no one else in the room or in the apartment. The maid who wore the crisp, grey uniform and ruffled cap appeared there only when Miss Vail had visitors to impress. Her name was Minnie Johnson, though on duty she answered to "Yvonne." was to arrive this afternoon at four o'clock.

Ten minutes passed and then a bell shrilled loudly. The telephone in the next room. Brenda's eyes darkened with annoyance.

There was nothing for her to do, however, but arise and answer the call. The heelless bedroom slippers flopped clumsily as Brenda walked.

She had to push back the cloth about her head so that she could hold the instrument to her ear. It was a French telephone done in ivory enamel.

"Hello," she said.

Dan Phillips was speaking. His voice sounded eager and excited. "Is that you, Brenda?" he asked and went on without giving her time to reply. "Wanted to tell you I've just seen the boss. Told him I was through with the *Wellington News* and this town, too. I'm quitting Saturday. Everything's all settled—"

"You mean you've given up your job?"

"Sure. Why not? I had to quit if we leave for New York Saturday, didn't I? I thought you'd be glad to hear it! It won't be long now, Brenda!"

There was no change of expression on the woman's face. The clay mask made that impossible. But resentment sounded in her voice.

"Don't you think you should have waited?" she asked.

"There's nothing to wait for! Say, I feel better already. Listen, Brenda, I want to talk to you. Suppose I drop around as near to five as I can make it? We'll have dinner together—"

I've been having a beastly headache. I'm going to lie down and try to sleep. That's what I was doing when you called."

"Oh, I'm sorry! Shouldn't have bothered you. Maybe if you have some rest you'll feel better."

"I hope so." Instinctively Brenda's voice had become the delicate, faintly martyred tone of the invalid.

"Then I won't keep you any longer. Will it be all right if I call back early in the evening? I do want to see you to-night."

Brenda started to say "no," hesitated, and qualified by telling him that he might telephone. She couldn't promise to see him though because her head was raging—

"And, like an imbecile, I keep you there talking. Forgive me! Goodbye, Brenda. I hop you feel a lot better soon."

She said "goodbye"—almost too cheerfully—and put down the telephone.

Brenda let the grey mask remain on her face another 10 minutes. Then she applied steaming hot cloths until the ugly clay was removed. The beautifying began in earnest now. Lotions and creams and cubes of ice. Brenda worked with practiced fingers. She patted and moulded and smoothed out the tiny lines about her eyes and across her forehead. She finished with stinging ointment that brought colour rushing to her cheeks. It was an hour's work but when it was completed undeniably the years had dropped away. Almost Brenda could have passed for 26 instead of 36.

She glanced at her watch again. Twenty-five minutes until four. Well, that was time enough. Yvonne would come in time to arrange the tea table.

There was a desk to the right of the window and Brenda sat down before it. Half a dozen letters lay on the desk. All of them had been opened and in five the contents was strikingly similar. "On account due from Miss Brenda Vail" most of them began. One was from the management of the apartment hotel. Another was from a New York dress shop. There was a bank statement, imposing in its long envelope, but the figures on the statement were buff coloured. Thick expensive looking stationary. The handwriting on the sheet inside the envelope was masculine. It read:

"Dear Miss Vail: I will be in Wellington next Monday on my way to Hollywood and hope to see you to discuss screen rights of the stories about which I wrote before. My time necessarily will be limited and I am taking the liberty to ask if I may call on you at about 4:30. Since I must reach the studio Wednesday my stop in Wellington will be only between trains. I am hopeful that we may come to an agreement that will be mutually satisfactory. With sincerest regards.—M. P. Harris."

That was the note Brenda read. When she looked up her eyes were lighted with radiance far more effective than any beauty pack.

"He's coming!" she whispered aloud. "Brenda Vail, you're having your chance to-day. You can't fail now! You can't!"

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She was on her feet, suddenly transformed into a flame of energy. There was much to be done yet. Dozens of things? What about those flowers? The man had promised they would be delivered early and here it was nearly four! Yvonne should be preparing the tea things!

Brenda flounced to the dressing table for last minute touches of rouge and powder puff. She applied the lip rouge with trembling fingers. It smudged, had to be removed and done over again. She adjusted dangling gold ear drops, before—immediately on receipt of Mr. Harris letter—and was exactly Brenda Vail's idea of attire suitable in which to receive an important figure of the motion picture world. The jade green velvet fell into graceful trousers.

The bodice moulded her figure closely and was accented by a girdle of cloth of gold. Brenda fastened the low neckline with a ruby clasp. She stepped into sandals of gold kid and buckled the straps. Bills, bills! There would be more bills for this new finery but what was expenses on such an occasion?"

"I'm going to Hollywood!" The thought danced madly in Brenda's mind. There would be money

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The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 25th to the 28th day of SEPTEMBER, 1932, both days inclusive.

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H.K. REEL CLUB.

CREDIT BALANCE REPORTED AT ANNUAL MEETING

A balance of $410.98 was reported at the annual meeting of the Hongkong Reel Club at the Helena May Institute last evening, Mr. A. Stevenson presiding.

The report of the chairman stated: "Twenty-four members have resigned from the Club, 48 new members have joined and four ex-members have rejoined—our membership is now 108. An "At Home" was held at Messrs. Lane, Crawford's Restaurant, on November 16, when a varied programme of exhibition and competitive dances was successfully completed. Dances were held at Messrs. Lane, Crawford's Restaurant, on November 6 and January 22. The first dance was attended by a large number of members and friends, but the second was not so successful. We are much indebted to Pipe Major Mackie for very valuable tuition during the past season. Instruction was given in foursome and eightsome reels, Highland Fling, Sword Dance, Highland Schottische and Caledonians. The Dashing White Sergeant and Petronella were tried with great success. We regret the departure of our President Mr. R. O. Sutherland who left the Colony in April. Mr. Sutherland was responsible for the Club in 1925 and acted as Hon. Secretary for several years. The accounts have been audited by Messrs. H. R. Forsyth and D. L. Prophet to whom our thanks are due.

The accounts showed a credit balance of $410.98, compared with $397.68 last year and $262.69 in 1930.

The following officers were elected:—President, Mr. T. P. Saunderson; vice-presidents, Miss F. Stevenson and Mr. H. R. Forsyth; committee Misses C. Ferguson, J. H. Dalziel, Mrs. H. H. Scott; Messrs. J. Bulloch, J. J. Forbes and H. C. Watson; hon. secretary, Mr. D. Black; hon. treasurer, Mr. A. McKellar.

PRIZE GIVING.

PROGRESS & WORK OF SACRED HEART SCHOOL

Before distributing the prizes to the successful boys at the Sacred Heart English School, which celebrated its 10th. anniversary yesterday, Dr. Asjoe Ho in a little speech encouraged the boys to study hard, adding that happiness could only be obtained through honest effort.

He said:—"The only salvation for you, which ultimately means for China, is to recognize the all important fact, that work is not a degrading thing. No matter what successes you may obtain in the classroom and no matter how many diplomas you are going to get, you cannot call yourself a citizen of China until you have learned to work and honour work.

"Before concluding I wish to congratulate Mr. Shak and his faculty on the wonderful success of this college, which evidently came through hard work. My congratulations to the prize winners and I hope the rest of you will persevere in your studies."

The Headmaster, Mr. J. S. Shak thanked Dr. Ho for his kindness in distributing the prizes, adding that Dr. Ho was not only a medical man but also a linguist speaking no less than five foreign languages.

"Dr. Ho's personality and profound skill win for him both honour and fame, and his presence here to-night no doubt contributes to heighten the festivities of the function and stimulate our students to work harder and further their efforts," he said.

Year Under Review.

Mr. Shak, in his report for the year said:

"The school was opened on 229 days. The average attendance during the year was 92 per cent. The maximum enrolment was 289.

"In the Junior Local Examination of the University the school had quite good results. Out of the four students who entered for the examination two passed and one obtained distinction in English History. We are glad to add here that he is the only boy candidate in the colony who obtained distinction in History.

"In order that we may be able to teach the young folks the work for which they are fitted and enable them to carry out that work, we have set up this college and it may be of interest to you to learn that since its inception it has been our aim not only to give our boys intellectual and physical training but also to make them learn self-reverence, self-knowledge, and self-control without which they are not capable of educating themselves by the time they have become men, and in consequence they are not useful citizens in future. With a view to providing education for the boys who are desirous of pursuing their studies in the school but unable to do so for financial reasons scholarships are awarded, and there are at present 15 free students in the school besides those who pay reduced fees.

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"I am also thankful to Mr. J. Smith for his donation in the form of a Scholarship and the following gentlemen for their handsome donations and prizes—The British American Tobacco Co., Sir Shouson Chow, Hon. Mr. W. E. L. Shenton, F. H. Mody Esq., Jardine Matheson and Co., A. S. Watson and Co., the Sincere Co., Hon. Mr. P. Lauder, Mr. F. X. d'Almada, L. G. Bird Esq., The Sun Co., Tan Eng Hooi Esq., Banque Franco Chinoise, Bank of China, A. Friend."

The boys and their parents and friends enjoyed a musical concert in which the different items of music and dancing were rendered by the boys, while the band of the Chung Shing Benevolent Society played selections at intervals.

RUSSIAN DANCERS.

PROGRAMME AT PENINSULA HOTEL CONTINUES

The accomplished Russian dancers, Miss Tania Svetlanova and Mr. Alex Sainikoff, who are appearing in the Roof Garden of the Peninsula Hotel during the dinner dance there every week-day night in exhibition dances, provided three new numbers from their large repertoire last Saturday which are being continued during this week. These dances are "A Soldier's Love". (Comic); "Acrobatic Tango" and "Hungarian Czardas", the last-named a solo dance by Miss Tania Svetlanova.

The exhibition of exceedingly clever dancing displays by these versatile artistes last Saturday, before a large attendance of diners, was accorded well-earned tributes, and by special request their famous "Snake Dance" was repeated. These performances are scheduled to carry on for some time longer.

DE VALERA IN LONDON

QUIET ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE

London, Sept. 19.

The unostentatious arrival of Mr. de Valera in London and his departure for Geneva a few hours later, belied the expectation that he might profit by the opportunity to see members of the Cabinet.

Shortly after his arrival at Euston he drove to Victoria Station where he breakfasted and remained at an hotel until the arrival of the Continental train.—*Reuter.*

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MR. AW BOON-HAW DONATES A NEW BUILDING

Mr. Aw Boon-haw, prominent Chinese millionaire druggist and philanthropist, who is visiting Hongkong on a tour to inspect his business connexions in Hongkong, Swatow and Shanghai, has signified his intention to contribute $40,000 for the building of a new house to provide accommodation for 125 persons at the Home for the Aged in Kowloon City.

The latter charitable institution is managed by the Little Sisters of the Poor, in Saikung Road, where Rev. Mother Gabrielle de St. Hyacinthe is the Superior, together with eleven Sisters who look after over 100 old and homeless persons.

Mr. Aw Boon-haw is well known for his assistance to Homes for the Aged and to hospital work. In Rangoon there are two Aged Homes which were started through his assistance, while in recent times he donated $380,000 for the opening of a Chinese hospital in Nanking and $50,000 for the Canton Military Hospital, which is under construction.

To Visit Swatow.

Mr. Aw Boon-haw, who has spent recently thousands of dollars in assisting the old and unemployed Chinese to return to Kwangtung and Fukien from the Straits Settlements is well known among the Fukienese in Swatow and Amoy.

He told a representative of the *S. C. M. Post* yesterday that in 1931 his Company purchased a big site at Swatow for the construction of a factory, but the work was delayed owing to the Shanghai disturbances. He expected that construction would commence in the near future. Drugs produced in the Swatow Factory would supply the demand in the cities of the Far East and overseas Chinese in America.

Asked by our representative whether he considered visiting Shanghai next week to see Mayor Wu Tieh-chen in connexion with the reported construction of another factory in Shanghai, Mr. Aw Boon-haw replied that he might stay in Hongkong for another few weeks, because he found the climate here suitable for his health. In Shanghai he would study conditions there first before venturing on the factory scheme.

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Calcutta and Straits	Tilawa	September 20.
Shanghai and Swatow	Suiyang	September 21.
Manila	Empress of Canada	September 21.
Europe via Suez (Letters & Papers) London, 25th August, and Parcels, 18th August	Naldera	September 21.
Straits	Nagoya	September 23.
Japan and Shanghai	Ranchi	September 23.
Japan	Atsuta Maru	September 23.
U. S. A., Canada, Japan and Shanghai (Seattle, 3rd September)	Pres. Cleveland	September 23.
Australia and Manila	Kamo Maru	September 24.
Japan	Rio de Janeiro Maru	September 26.
Saigon	Andre Lebon	September 27.
Japan and Shanghai	Athos II	September 27.
Straits	Terukuni Maru	September 27.
Canada, U. S. A., Japan and Shanghai (Vancouver B. C., 10th Sept.)	Emp. of Russia	September 28.
Japan	Sirdhana	September 28.
Japan	Nankin	September 29.

OUTWARD MAILS.

For	Per	Date and Time
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Haining	Tues., Sept. 20, 2 p.m.
Saigon	Halvard	Tues., Sept. 20, 3.30 p.m.
Samshui and Wuchow	Tai Hing	Tues., Sept. 20, 4 p.m.
Manila	Pres. Coolidge	Tues., Sept. 20, 4.30 p.m.
Swatow	Fooshing	Tues., Sept. 20, 5 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan, *Honolulu, U.S.A., *Canada, Central and South America and *Europe via San Francisco	Shinyo Maru	Wed., Sept. 21.
	Reg.,	Sept. 20, 5 p.m.
	Letters,	Sept. 21, 8.30 a.m.
	(Due San Francisco, 14th Oct.)	
Tourane	Chung Kong	Wed., Sept. 21, 3.30 p.m.
Amoy	Tai Yuan	Wed., Sept. 21, 3.30 p.m.
Straits	Van Heutsz	Thurs., Sept. 22, 10 a.m.
Amoy and Formosa via Swatow	Deli Maru	Thurs., Sept. 22, 10 a.m.
Shanghai and *Japan	Naldera	Thurs., Sept. 22, 10.30 a.m.
Swatow	Hydrangea	Thurs., Sept. 22, 3 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, Canada, U.S.A., C. and S. America and *Europe via Vancouver B.C. and *Europe via Siberia	Emp. of Canada	Thurs., Sept. 22.
	Parcels,	22nd 3 p.m.
	Registration	22nd 4.15 p.m.
	Letters	22nd 5 p.m.
	(Due Vancouver B.C., 11th October).	
Hoihow, Pakhoi and Haiphong	Kingyuan	Fri., Sept. 23, 10.30 a.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Halyang	Fri., Sept. 23, 1 p.m.
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, East and South Africa, Aden, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles	Ranchi	Sat., Sept. 24.
	K. P. O.	
	Parcels,	Sept. 23, 4.30 p.m.
	Reg.,	Sept. 24, 9 a.m.
	Letters,	Sept. 24, 10 a.m.
	G. P. O.	
	Parcels,	Sept. 23, 5 p.m.
	Reg.,	Sept. 24, 9.45 a.m.
	Letters,	Sept. 24, 10.30 a.m.
	(Due Marseilles, 21st October)	
Manila, Australia and New Zealand via Thursday Island.	Atsuta Maru	Sat., Sept. 24.
	Registration	23rd 5 p.m.
	Letters	24th 8.30 a.m.
	(Due Thursday Island, 6th October.)	
Manila	President Cleveland	Sat., Sept. 24, 4.30 p.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Formosa	Canton Maru	Sun., Sept. 25, 9 a.m.
Japan	Kamo Maru	Sun., Sept. 25, 9 a.m.
*Saigon, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, East and South Africa and *South American ports	Rio de Janeiro Maru	Tues., Sept. 27, 10 a.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Haiching	Tues., Sept. 27, 1 p.m.
Fort Bayard, Hoihow, and Pakhoi	Tonkin	Tues., Sept. 27, 1.30 p.m.
Haiphong	Canton	Tues., Sept. 27, 2 p.m.
Shanghai, *Japan and *Europe via Siberia	Andre Lebon	Tues., Sept. 27, 2 p.m.
Letters for "Saigon—Marseilles Air Mail Service."	Athos II.	Tues., Sept. 27.
	K. P. O.	
	Reg.,	Sept. 27, Noon.
	Letters,	Sept. 27, Noon.
	G. P. O.	
	Reg.,	Sept. 27, 12.30 p.m.
	Letters,	Sept. 27, 1 p.m.
Saigon, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, East and South Africa, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles	Athos II.	Tues., Sept. 27.
	K. P. O.	
	Reg.,	Sept. 27, 1 p.m.
	Letters,	Sept. 27, 1 p.m.
	G. P. O.	
	Reg.,	Sept. 27, 1.45 p.m.
	Letters,	Sept. 27, 2.30 p.m.
	(Due Marseilles, 28th October.)	
Shanghai and Japan	Terukuni Maru	Tues., Sept. 27, 5 p.m.
Sandakan	Hinsang	Wed., Sept. 28, 8.30 a.m.
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, East and South Africa, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles	Antenor	Wed., Sept. 28.
	K. P. O.	
	Reg.,	Sept. 28, 1 p.m.
	Letters,	Sept. 28, 1 p.m.
	G. P. O.	
	Reg.,	Sept. 28, 1.45 p.m.
	Letters,	Sept. 28, 2.30 p.m.
	(Due Marseilles, 27th October.)	
Manila	Emp. of Russia	Wed., Sept. 28, 3.30 p.m.

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20 Rails	32.04	31.43
20 Utilities	29.11	28.70

Messrs. E. A. Pierce & Co. report:—There is no reason yet for a change of opinion, but inaction on the buying side is the best policy for the present. Business done:—1,300,000 shares.

	Spt. 17	Sept. 19.
Air Reduction	$54	$53¾
Allied Chemical & Dye	72	71⅛
American Can	50⅝	48¼
American Telegraph & Telephone	108⅝	108
American Tobacco "B"	74½	73¾
Anaconda Copper Mining	11½	10⅞
Auburn	50¾	49
Borden Company	28¾	27⅝
Canadian Pacific	16½	15⅝
Consolidated Gas of New York	56¼	55¼
Drugs, Inc.	43¼	42
Du Pont de Nemours	36¼	35¾
Eastman Kodak	52	50¾
General Electric	16⅞	16½
General Foods	28⅞	28½
General Motors	15⅝	15
International Harvester	22	21⅝
International Tel. & Tel.	9⅝	10⅜
Liggett & Myers "B"	60	59⅛
Loew's Inc.	28⅝	28¾
Pacific Gas & Electric	30	29⅛
Pennsylvania Railway	17½	17⅛
Radio Corporation	8⅛	8
Sears Roebuck	20	19⅝
Standard Oil Co. of New Jersey	31⅛	30½
Socony-Vacuum Corp.	10	9⅞
Union Carbide & Carbon	24⅛	23¼
Union Pacific	71	68⅞
United States Steel	38⅞	36¼
Westinghouse E. & M.	28⅞	28⅜

—Reuter.

EXCHANGE RATES

	Friday.	Yesterday.
Paris	88⅝	88.21/32
Geneva	18.01½	18.01
Berlin	14.57½	14.19/32
Helsingfors	232½	232½
Oslo	19⅞	19.85
Athens	562½	—
Buenos Aires	Nom.	Nom.
Shanghai	1/9.3/16	—
New York	3.47½	3.47⅝
Amsterdam	8.56	8.65½
Vienna	—	29½
Prague	117½	117½
Madrid	43⅛	—
Bucharest	587½	587½
Hongkong	1/4.3/32	1/4½
Brussels	25.05½	25.07½
Stockholm	—	67.11/16
Copenhagen	19	19.50
Lisbon	110	18.9/32
Rio	5⅝	110
Bombay	1/6.5/32	5.3/16
Yokohama	1/4½	1/6.11/64
Montevido	30	—
Montreal	3.85	385¼
Belgrade	225	227½
Silver (Spot)	17¾	17.11/16
„ (forward)	17⅞	17.13/16

—British Wireless.

The person who isn't afraid of being over-burdened is the one who delivers the goods.

SHARE PRICES

TO-DAY'S QUOTATIONS

The following is the list of local share quotations issued to-day:

Banks.

Hongkong Banks, $1590 n.
Hongkong Lon. Reg. £116½ n.
Chartered Banks, £13⅞ n. X. Div.
Mercantile Bank, A. & B. £22¼ n. X. Div.
Mercantile Bank C., £9⅞ n.
East Asia, $109 n.
Am: O. Finance Corp., $28 n.
China O. Fin. Ord., Tls.6 n.
China O. Fin. Pref. Tls.4.60 n.

Insurances.

Canton Ins., $1410 n.
Union Ins. $500 sa.
China Underwriters, $2.85 b.
China Fire, $620 n.
H. K. Fire Ins., $1200 n.
Internation Assce. Tls. 4 b.

Shipping.

Douglases, $26 n.
H.K. Steamboats, $22¾ b.
Indo-Chinas, (Pref.) $45 n.
Indo-Chinas (Def.), $32 n.
Shell (Bearer) 53/1½ n.
Union Waterboats, $21 b.

Mining.

Benguets, $18 b.
Kailans, 28/9 n.
Langkats (Single), Tls.4 n.
S'hai Explorations, Tls.2.10 n.
S'hai Loans, Tls.2.30 n.
Raubs, $40½ n.
Venz: Goldfields, $2.90 b.
Benguet Exp., 20 cts. n.

Docks, etc.

H.K.K. Wharves, $141 b.
H.K. & W. Docks $25 n.
S. China Motors A., $10 n.
S. China Motor B., $8 n.
Providents (old), $4.75 b.
Providents (New), $2.30 n.
Hongkews, Tls. 216 n.
New Engineerings, Tls. 5¾ n.
Shanghai Docks, Tls. 89 n.

Lands, Hotels, etc.

Hotels (old), $11.10 b.
Hotels (new), $10.80 n.
H.K. Lands, $75 n.
S'hai Lands, Tls. 24 ¾ n.
Metropolitan Lands, Tls. 10 n.
Humphreys, $16 n.
H.K. Realties, $9.30 s.
Asia Realties "A", $140 n.
Asia Realties "B", $28 n.
Chinese Estates, $100 n.
China Realties, Tls. 11.40 n.
China Debentures Tls. 96½ n.

Cottons.

Ewo Cottons, Tls. 14.10 sa.
S'hai Cottons, Tls. 63½ n.
Zoong Sings, Tls. 11.10 n.
Wing on Textiles (S.) $150 b.

Public Utilities.

Tramways, $22 sa.
Peak Trams (old) $16 b.
Peak Trams (new), $8 sa.
Star Ferries, $91 sa.
Yaumati Ferries (old), $35½ n.
Yaumati Ferries (new), $34 n.
China Lights (old), $17.10 b.
China Lights (new), $16.60 b.
H.K. Electrics, $74½ b.
Macao Electrics, $24 n.
Sandakan Lights, $12 n.
Telephones (F.P.), $28 n.
Telephones (P.P.), $23 b.
China Buses, Tls.10 n.
Singapore Tractions, 2/- n.
Singapore Pref. 14/- n.

Industrials.

Malabon Sugars, $27½ n.
Cald: Macg. (Ord.), Tls.14 n.
Cald: Macg. (Pref.), Tls.19½ n.
Canton Ices, $6 b.
Cements (Com.), $14.70 n.
Cements (old), $10½ n.
Cements (new), $3½ n.
H.K. Ropes, $12 n.
Agriculturals, $10¼ n.

Stores, etc.

Dairy Farms, $27.50 b.
Watsons (old), $12.10 sa.
Watsons (new), $12 n.
Der. A. Wings, $1 n.
Sinceres, $16 n.
Lane Crawfords, $5.25 b.
Mackintoshs, $21 n.
Wm. Powells, $3.35 n.
Wing On (H.K.), $240 n.

Miscellaneous.

Amusements $20 s.
Entertainments, $13⅓ n.
S. C. Enterprises, $3¼ n.
United Theatres Tls. 5.35 b.
Macao "Greyhounds", $10 n.
Construction (old), $6.50 b.
Construction (new), $1.40 b.
B. Ind. G. $ Bonds, $60% n.
H.K. Govt. Loans, 3% pre. n.
Wallace Harpers, $12.90 n.
China Sports Ltd., $10 n.

THE WORLD OF WOMEN

By Joan Savoy

There is a quaintness to the late summer fashions that is delightful. Every frock and blouse has a surprise feature that takes an unexpected trick or two. Most of them do it in an old-fashioned manner.

The model at the left couldn't decide whether to be a jumper or a gown with a collar specialty, so it uses a huge heart-shaped collar that fastens to the skirt with a large button. The material is blue bengaline, and the blouse, with its wide, short sleeves, is a lively plaid. Buttons decorate the shoulders of the frock, also.

The girl in the centre has covered a soft pink dress with a loose white linen coat. The dress features a square neckline, large buttons, and a skirt that hugs the hipline closely and flares around the knees. The coat concentrates on huge cuffs and pockets.

The costume at the right achieves an effective air of demureness by the shirred vest that features a high neckline. A row of buttons go all the way up the front of the coat, starting at a point below the hips and ending at the vest. The material is a redbrown pique.

All three of the costumes recover their freshness and vibrancy when they are laundered.

BEAUTY HINTS.

Keeping Step With Good Posture.

It is surprising how many people don't know how to walk. Their weight rests on their heels, and their feet weave fantastic patterns. They grow tired and don't know the reason why they do.

A few suggestions would help to send them along the right path.

Take your position against the wall. Remember that your heels, buttocks, shoulder blades and the back of your head level with your nose should touch the wall. Now imagine that a pulley is raising your head. Then step out. When you do it, keep slightly forward with your shoulders. Forget them. Let them go. They'll do the forward act unconsciously.

Now pretend that you have a new pair of rubber heels and can't afford another pair of them for a year. Naturally you will want to save them, so you will let most of your weight go forward. Never let your heels come down first.

Easy to Practice.

If this doesn't help, pretend that you are wearing a pair of new shoes, which you may decide not to keep. Since you don't want to mar them you will walk lightly, saving the heels.

Walk across the floor several times. Keep this exercise in mind whenever you are walking. It is practical and can be done anywhere.

Keeping a graceful position when you are sitting is another important part of the programme. Choose a chair that is comfortable. Make sure that it has a back that will support you.

Now sit back. Let the blades of your shoulders touch the back of the chair. Don't slide down on your spine. Stay erect. Let your feet rest on the floor. This position may sound stiff but it is surprisingly comfortable.

The correct way to walk or sit is usually the easiest way. It is astounding how difficult we make life sometimes.—ALICIA HART.

SEEN IN THE HOME SHOPS.

Stiffened lace by the yard for the Jacobean collars and cuffs so popular this year.

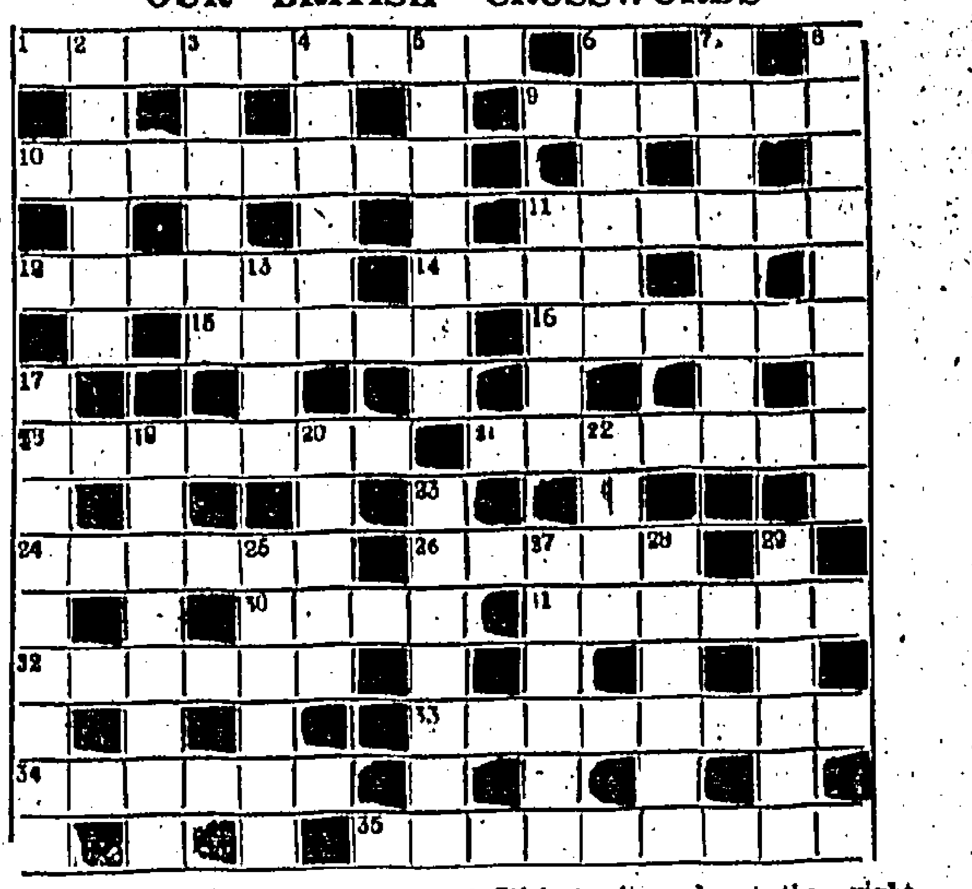
A tiny petrol lighter smaller than a lipstick, but covered with real *petit point*, and a cigarette case to match.

Scarves for the seaside in white wool, with a dropstitch pattern, and embroidered with a design of a sailing boat and anchor.

Necklets and bracelets to be worn with the bathing suit made of alternate sponge and untarnishable metal beads.

For the handbag—a three-sided folding mirror to give three views of one's face at once for 1s.

OUR BRITISH CROSSWORDS



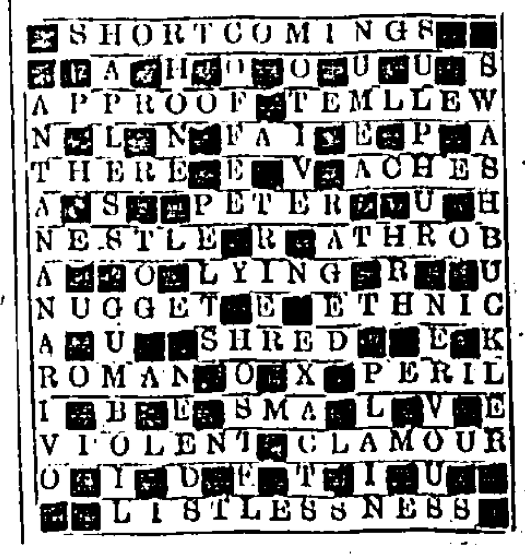
Across

1 Sounds as though you would need help with the beverage after the fruit is done.
9 Disarrange.
10 One does not hear of this tobacco being as popular with airmen as one might imagine it would be.
11 Join Ned and Pat to meet one with more learning than sense.
12 With reference to the special kind of fuel—you must speak again if you want it.
14 A well-known water-carrier.
15 Familiar circles.
16 Return.
18 Apprehensions that are probably, justified.
21 European country.
24 Though once dear to the author, may still be dearer.
26 Is let, maybe. What? The house they're on.
30 If you get this right, there will be dread consequences.
31 Considered.
32 Up and down affairs.
33 The latter part of the month scarcely seems sufficient for warmth.
34 Exact puishment. If the fifth letter were U the way would be clear.
35 One hears in real surrounds a preliminary performance.

Down

2 Uplifted, like a pie.
3 There's something strange in Edward, and a down-bent head.
4 Puts up, but not as a host.
5 Describes dye suitable for villains.
6 Stick to it and get the right word here in the end.
7 A Briton, for example.
8 Pertaining to sects.
11 Hidden—a penny in Peru.
13 Sometimes seen in the company of the graces.
17 Of noble birth.
19 Just became aware that ready money has been obtained.
20 Weeds.
22 Keep this in the army.
23 It's odd, but if it were more so it would not be known to you at all.
25 Spell this image with three letters.
27 Great French museum.
28 Don't get into a stew if you can't find this—but I'm not sure if that's good advice.
29 The colour of mignonette.

Yesterday's Solution.



WATER LEVELS.

WEST NORTH AND EAST RIVERS.

The following table issued by the Kwangtung River Conservancy Commission shows the height of water in English feet on the dates named in the West, North and East Rivers:

	Highest on record.	Lowest on record.	Sept. 18	Sept. 19
West River at Shiuhing	+41.7	0	15.0	—
North River at Tsingyuen	+41.7	0	7.5	7.1
North River at Samshui	+27.3	—5.3	5.2	—
East River at Sheklung	+15.5	—2.5	5.5	5.2

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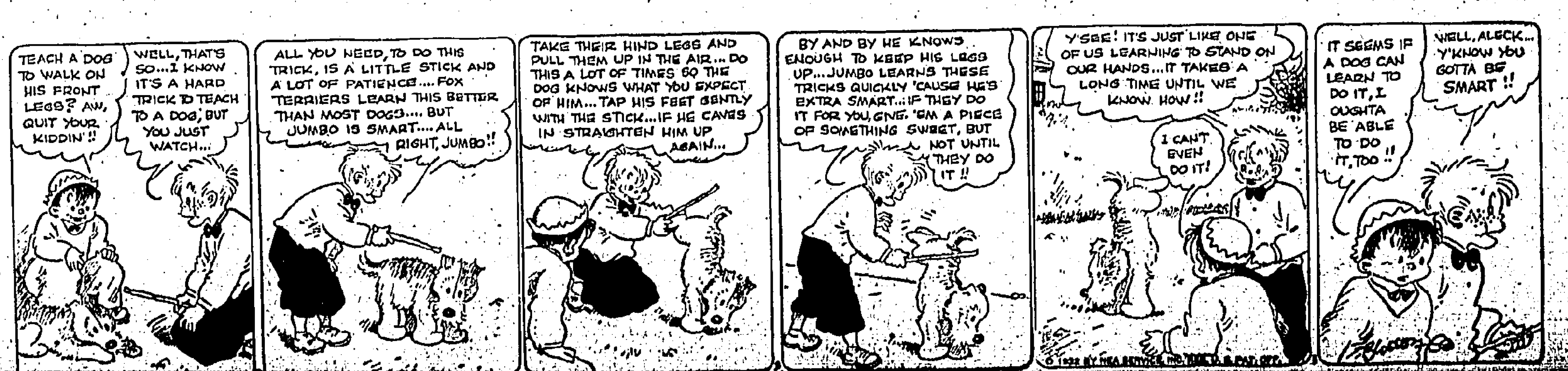

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ACKNOWLEDGMENT.

Drs. Coxion and Herbert To and family, wish to thank all friends for their attendance at the funeral, also for messages of condolence and floral tributes sent in their recent bereavement.

The Hongkong Telegraph.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 20, 1932.

THE WRONG MOMENT

Quite apart from the merits or demerits of the case, there will, we imagine, be general agreement that Germany's determination to force the issue of arms equality at the present juncture is, as the British Note expresses it, untimely. There are so many major world issues requiring urgent adjustment that the time is ill-chosen in which to raise this question of first-rate importance. Moreover, the German Government's method of registering regret at the French refusal to concede equality offhand, by declining to attend further sessions of the Disarmament Conference until the issue is decided, smacks of an impatience which is, to say the least, regrettable. This is all the more so when it is borne in mind that the full results of the Conference have not yet been reached.

The terms of German disarmament have been specifically laid down in the Versailles Treaty, and, as the British Note points out, these cannot either be abrogated or modified except by general consent. In the same Treaty, by the provisions of the League of Nations Covenant, it was recognised that the maintenance of peace required a general reduction in armaments amongst all members of the League to the lowest point consistent with national safety. Since the Treaty was signed, it has been found possible to achieve substantial reductions, and the process is still continuing. Looked at in this light, it cannot be contended that Germany alone of the nations has been required to disarm. Actually, the limitation of arms imposed on Germany by the Peace Treaty has, as was intended, been followed by a large measure of disarmament on the part of the other Powers, even though it may be arguable whether such disarmament is in any way proportionate to the German sacrifices. The point not to be lost sight of in this connexion, however, is that the process is by no means yet complete, and that the resumed Conference, with which Germany intends to have nothing further to do, is to concentrate on the task of achieving further limitation. The absence of Germany, almost implying a determination to go her [illegible] opposite of helpful, and might, indeed, jeopardise the whole cause of disarmament. Germany has made it plain in her *aide memoire* to France that she claims the right to revise her system of defence, including the period of military service, the structure or her forces, and the formation of a special militia. This raises the possibility that Germany's idea of equality may be based on a policy of re-arming rather than on any scheme for fresh reductions by the other Powers. Such a contingency could not but be viewed otherwise than with widespread concern.

It is not to be denied that the whole question of revision of the Versailles Treaty in its many aspects will eventually have to be faced, but in view of matters of far greater urgency which call for immediate action, it is unfortunate that this exceedingly controversial issue of Germany's right to re-arm should be raised at this juncture. However, the matter has now been brought definitely to a head, and it is for world statesmen so to handle it that Germany's intentions may be made perfectly clear. One thing is beyond dispute, namely, that Germany has not been ungenerously treated by the Powers since the war, and this circumstance makes her present impatience all the more regrettable. It is to be hoped that even at this eleventh hour she will reconsider her decision, and thus give tangible evidence of a desire to work in harmonious co-operation with other nations in the solution of the many problems in which all have a common interest.

Nationalism in Scotland.

The Nationalist movement in Scotland is assuming a definitely political shape. The Scottish Nationalist Party is organising candidates to contest the elections in the municipalities, preliminary to attacking the constituencies in the next general election on a straight Scottish Nationalist ticket. The movement is no new thing. It has persisted in Scotland for the best part of a generation, although it is only in recent years that it has begun to take a direct part in politics. At the last general election several Scottish Nationalists took the field; but the seriousness of the British national crisis found their efforts frustrated, so far as actual success went in the matter of securing seats. But the election revealed that there is a growing sentiment behind the movement, and new plans by the party to foster nationalism throughout the country are being watched with interest in circles beyond the borders of Scotland. The new nationalism in Scotland has little or nothing to do with the "clannishness" with which the Scottish race is credited. That is a different and distinctive form of nationalism, which Scotsmen have carried to the ends of the earth. The old nationalism has its roots in Scottish character, love of Scotland and an unshakable belief in Scottish ability. Nothing is likely to supplant the glory of that nationalism which has made the race distinctive in literature, commerce, politics, and virtually every phase of human activities. The new nationalism might be called another, and an entirely different, form of Scottish Nationalism. It has nothing whatever to do with that "nationalism" which aspires to put races into watertight compartments. It is not a nationalism that has any bitterness against any other nation, not even against its "auld enemy," England. Scottish nationalism, characteristically enough, is a common-sense proposal that Scotsmen should handle those affairs which they are best qualified to handle. The new nationalism is in reality a demand for decentralisation, a request by Scotsmen that they should be permitted to control their domestic affairs from a centre more accessible to Scottish sentiment and experience than Westminster. Their claims have none of the political implications which prompted Southern Ireland to demand Home Rule; nor do they seek severance from the Bri[illegible] innovations that will alter materially the existing political make-up of Great Britain and Northern Ireland. Rather do Scottish Nationalists desire to bring that unusual ability of their own to the handling of affairs essentially Scottish, such as rating, education, law, and other topics which have little in common with the corresponding subjects in England or elsewhere.

DAY BY DAY

THE SALVATION OF A PEOPLE CANNOT BE ACCOMPLISHED BY ONE MAN SACRIFICING HIMSELF FOR OTHERS ON THE ALTAR OF PROGESS.

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Mr. J. Watson, representing Messrs. Arthur & Co., of Glasgow, who left the Colony last year, has returned to Hongkong to take charge of the firm's interests.

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The Sir Walter Scott Centenary Dinner of the Hongkong St. Andrew's Society will be held on Wednesday 21st instant in the Restaurant of Messrs. Lane, Crawford, Ltd. at 8 p.m.

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Admiral Sir Howard, Kelly, Commander-in-Chief of the British naval forces on the China station, is expected to visit Miyajima from October 10 to 13 and Kobe from October 14 to 24.

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Mr. B. L. Falconer, of Exchange Building, has reported to the police the loss of a Licia camera, valued at $240, which he left on the counter whilst purchasing stamps at the General Post Office.

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Suffering from injuries received through falling backwards into the hold of one of the Kowloon Godown's lighters, Cheng Ying, aged 40 years, a foki, was removed to the Kowloon Hospital late last night. He died half an hour after admission.

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Arrested leaving a house in Nam Kwok Street, a Chinese who appered before Mr. Schofield at the Central Police Court this morning, charged with possession of two sticks of dynamite, a detonator and fuse, was fined $50 or one month's hard labour.

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After hiring a mah jongg set and a table top, a Chinese pawned the cards and this morning a charge of larceny by bailee was brought against him before Mr. Schofield at the Central Police Court. The defendant who lived at Mallory Street, removed the day after renting the set, but was seen in the streets by a foki who had gone in search of him. A fine of $50 was imposed.

SUGAR MARKET

THE LATEST CABLED QUOTATIONS

The following cable at the close of the sugar market yesterday has been received by Messrs. Pentreath and Co.

London Terminals.

December 1932 5/9 down 1¼d.
March 1933 6/- down 1¼d.
May 1933 6/2 down 1¼d.
August 1933 6/4¼ down 1d.
Buyers at above prices, sellers asking ¼d-½d more.

New York Terminals

September 1932 — —
December 1932 1.06 down 3 pts.
March 1933 1.03 down 4 pts.
May 1933 1.07 down 3 pts.
July 1933 1.12 dwon 3 pts.
Cuban 96°—Spot N.Y. 1.08 no change.

GERMANY TO-DAY

By MISS E. M. CANNON

"WHY is Germany making such a fuss about her economic conditions?" That is one's first thought on arrival at a city like Frankfurt-on-Main.

Everything seems to be going on as usual: the streets are busy, the factory chimneys on the outskirts of the town are belching forth black smoke, the main streets are full of luxury shops and cinemas, the young girls passing are dressed well and tastefully, the wireless blares cheerfully through the open doors of the innumerable cafes and restaurants where groups of people sit talking over their beer, huge new buildings in the modern geometric style are rising everywhere. Living is cheap; a furnished room and breakfast can be had for £2 a month, a substantial meal in a restaurant costs from 11d. to 1s. 2d. as a rule, and clothes are very cheap and smart.

A Wealth of Clues.

But soon one notices many little clues to the real condition of Germany.

Every few yards is an empty shop, or one displaying a large notice: "Sale owing to failure of the firm."

Many of the big solidly-built houses and flats stand empty, for their rents are too high even for those happy people who are in work, and the former inhabitants have moved into the settlements of small futuristically-planned houses built during the last three or four years.

Beggars and street musicians are distressingly frequent, and at the corners of the poorer streets are loafing groups of young people who have just left school and can find no work.

In the cinemas are notices saying that reductions are made to the unemployed, on production of a certificate. Students are also entitled to reductions at places of amusement, on the trams and railways, in the museums and so on, for the modern German student is pitifully poor, and many of them hover on the brink of starvation.

Some of them, known as Werlestudenten, take on part-time blind-alley work, to supplement their income. The concessions to students are all of post-war orgin, one is told, as also are the cheap prices in the restaurants, the result of an agitation about a year ago.

The number of small cheap cafes has greatly increased during the last few years, to meet the need for cheap amusements. Here one can sit a whole afternoon or evening over a glass or two of beer, reading the newspapers, listening to the wireless, chattering, or dancing, all for less than a shilling. In the streets one sees relatively far fewer private cars than in an English provincial city, for the high taxes have forced many people, even of high social position, to give up their cars.

Yet another symptom of economic distress is the large number of lotteries, with their tempting placards offering fabulous sums of money for the expenditure of a few pence. These lotteries are very well patronised.

When one turns to the newspapers the picture becomes blacker. Appalling figures of the number of unemployed are given, and we are told that the number of suicides due to depression or financial troubles is something like 60 a week.

"With View to Marriage."

Even those who are in work are very badly paid, and many cannot afford to marry, except perhaps on a strictly commercial basis. In most papers is a column of advertisements running thus: "Sober, intelligent, industrious man seeks woman with capital or shop, with view to marriage."

The birth-rate is declining with the decline in marriages. In a certain nursing home twenty-nine babies were born on one day before the war. Now twenty-five are born there in a week.

The lack of work for young people has led to a huge increase in the number of students at the universities, despite official warnings, for there is no prospect of work for most of them, and the existence of such a large proportion of university-educated people, who will not want to turn to manual work, will inevitably cause difficulties.

"But at least," argue the parents, "it keeps them off the streets for three or four years, and perhaps things will have improved by then, for they can scarcely get any worse."

Other people, however, tell us we have not yet seen the worst, and wish they were well out of it. One educated man, with what in England would be quite a good post as commercial traveller in electrical appliances, has so little left when he has paid his taxes that he has to get his parents to send him sausage and eggs from their farm. He can afford no amusements save an occasional cinema, and marriage is out of the question for him. "Don't you think," he said to me once, "that I have often wished I had been old enough to have died in the War?"

Crisis In the Air.

There is a general feeling that a crisis is imminent. Many people feel it will take the form of another war, and hope that they will die before it comes.

Germany cannot pay any more reparations: that is the opinion of the man in the street. Something must be done about that, and about the economic condition generally. That is why so many have joined the Hitler party, with its definite, if extreme, policy, for they feel that Hitler has the vitality which the honest, but old, Hindenburg lacks.

One of the cheering notes is the scheme for organising voluntary unpaid labour for the building of roads, house settlements, parks, open-air swimming baths and so on. The idea is that young men without employment should serve for a year or so, as in the army in the old days. They live a communal life in camps or hostels, receiving their food but no pay. The plan has already been successfully tried and will probably be extended.

The Mountain in Travail.

Another scheme is to provide unemployed men with a plot of ground, and a loan of money to buy tools and seeds, to be repaid when the land is yielding a profit. Even in her agony, Germany's talent for organisation reappears.

Germany, like the rest of the world, is in travail, but one feels that something more interesting than the mouse of Aesop's fable will be born.

[illegible] wonder [illegible] a whole bunch of them. People won't [illegible]

THIS SINGING EVIL

By Edward Kelly, Student of Art.

We are looking forward to the social season in Hongkong.

We know that Autumn is here, because our wife received a Winter catalogue yesterday. Then there is the A.D.C., Philharmonic Society and the Helena May Institute with we're-going-to-do-it-this-year looks in their eyes.

In may be of interest, in view of the imminence of all this to quote the remarks of another great scientist, with whom we have made a study of the subject.

It seems that an Australian aborigine training for a corroboree first catches a frog which is placed in a vessel of water. After a time he drinks the water (the aborigine, not the frog) and eats the frog, thereby gaining a voice both clear and strong.

Which calls to mind the whistling cat who ate the canary and had to live on birdseed.

Now is the time when all musicians get [illegible]

DEMANDING MONEY BY MENACES

YEAR'S HARD LABOUR IMPOSED

APLICHAU INCIDENT

Before the Puisne Judge, Mr. Justice Wood, at the Criminal Sessions this morning, Leung Chan-hang pleaded not guilty to a charge of uttering a letter demanding money from Ho Kam, nicknamed Ma Chi, with menaces on August 11th., at Aplichau.

The jury comprised Messrs J. G. Meyer (foreman), Low Hok-kwong, W. Sanderson, G. F. Gilbert, E. V. M. B de Sousa, M. A. dos Remedios and Lam Fit-long.

Mr. T. S. Whyte-Smith, assistant Crown Solicitor, outlining the case, said:—"The letter referred to was received by a man called Ho Kam. The envelope was actually addressed to Mr. Ho Ma-chi, and I should explain at this stage that Ma-chi is Ho Kam's nickname. Ma-chi, I understand, means "double thumb" and he is so nicknamed because he has an extra finger on the right-hand. Ho Kam is a merchant who lives at Aplichau.

TEXT OF LETTER.

"The letter inside the envelope was started by the address of Mr. Ma Chi and the letter states, "To Mr. Ma Chi:—There is a tong out here. It has not enough supplies for provision. Ah Ma Chi, it desires to borrow from you the sum of $300. If you have no money, give us a reply in three days. Your reply can be sent us care of the Yau Tai grocery shop. You are to give us a reply in three days whether you have money or not. If you have no money, ah Ma-chi, you should be careful of your life in your going out and coming in. We will deal with you with guns. We are afraid you will lose your boat, men and cargo.' The letter was dated August 10th 1932 and bore several names stated to be the leaders.

"Ho Kam lives at a rice shop and is, I think, a general merchant. Accused is a distant relative of Ho Kam's wife and in October, 1931, accused came to stay with them. He stayed with them for a month or a little over. While he was staying with them he sometimes asked for the loan of money. At the end of about a month accused left them and went to stay on a fishing boat where he got a job on the recommendation of Ho Kam.

LETTER FOUND.

"On the 11th August, at about 1 a.m., Mrs. Ho was in bed at the back of the house which is near the back entrance. The back entrance is protected by bars of some sort and there are gaps between and one can see out. Mrs. Ho will say that an oil lamp was burning and that there was some moonlight. She will also say that at about that hour she saw the accused standing by the well which is in front of the back entrance. She wondered what he was doing there and called out to him. He ran away. When she got up the next morning at about 6 a.m. she found the letter lying on the ledge of the well. She took it to her husband to whom it was addressed and he opened it, and he will tell you he recognised the writing as that of the accused. He went around to the hut where he knew accused was working and questioned him about it.

"Accused admitted that he knew who had sent the letter. Ho Kam then asked him if he would try and get the amount reduced. I do not know what reply was given, but anyhow it was arranged that they should meet the same evening in a tea house. In the meantime, Ho Kam had reported the matter to the police. They met that night at the tea house and continued the conversation.

ACCUSED'S STATEMENTS.

After some time accused went away and Ho Kam fetched the police and pointed the accused out to them. He was arrested and since then had made certain statements. The first statement was to the effect that accused did not intend getting $300 from Ho Kam. He and his wife scolded him and he had only written the letter to frighten Ho Kam.

"Before the Police Magistrate, when the case was being heard, accused made another statement which was to the effect that the letter was not written by him. Ho Kam and his wife told him his brother owed for provisions supplied during three months and wanted him to pay. He only earned six dollars a month and so was unable to pay. The mother and son abused him and demanded payment. They had a letter written demanding $300 and then accused him of being the writer. The police came and arrested him and police officer told him to confess. When he refused, said the accused, the police beat him and he was forced into confession because he was suffering from imprisonment with hard labour for [illegible]

In reply to the Judge, defendant said he had nothing to say, and was found guilty by a majority of five to two.

He was sentenced to one year's

GERMANY DISAPPOINTED BY BRITISH NOTE

(Continued from Page 1.)

from the Disarmament Conference has been addressed to Berlin by Mr. Arthur Henderson, the President of the Conference.

Mr. Henderson, who is now in Geneva preparing for Wednesday's session of the Bureau, says that Germany's prolonged absence from the deliberations may seriously affect the cause of general disarmament.—*Reuter.*

AMERICAN ATTITUDE.

Washington, Sept. 19.

"The United States regret that Germany has chosen this time to advance an arms equality claim, as it may hinder world disarmament."

This view was expressed to-day by a high official of the State Department, who emphasised, however, that European political problems did not form a subject of consideration by the United States, except insofar as they had a bearing on the arms conference.

FEBRUARY MORE IMPORTANT.

It is felt in Washington, however, that a way may be found of bringing back Germany into the Arms Conference before the February disarmament meeting, preparations for which are still continuing.—*Reuter.*

SAFETY OF LIFE AT SEA

CONVENTIONS TO BE RATIFIED

London Sept. 19.

The International Convention for the Safety of Life at Sea and the International Load Line Convention will be ratified by His Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom and by the majority of other signatory Governments on October 1st, and will come into operation in this and other ratifying countries which have already ratified or agreed to ratify on October 1st.

These include, in the case of the Safety Convention, Canada, Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Italy, Netherlands, Norway, Spain and Sweden, and in the case of the Load Line Convention, Canada Denmark, Finland, France, Italy, Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Portugal, Spain, Sweden, the United States of America and Russia.—*British Wireless.*

NO POCKET FOR TOBACCO

WOMAN'S EXCUSE IN COURT

A young woman, Kong Pik-yuen, on her arrival here from up-river, was arrested yesterday by Revenue searchers on the waterfront, carrying a quantity of Chinese tobacco on which duty was not paid.

The woman told the Court today that she brought down the tobacco for her own consumption, and was not at all non-plussed when it was pointed out that tobacco for that purpose should have been kept in her pocket.

"I have no pockets to my jacket," she promptly replied.

Revenue Officer Ward said there was nothing previously known against the woman, except that she was running away from her husband.

A fine of $24, or 12 days' imprisonment in default, was inflicted by Mr. Wynne-Jones.

THE COLONY'S BUDGET

(Continued from Page 1.)

Supreme Court	251,143
Attorney General	67,840
Crown Solicitor's Office	62,685
Official Receiver	32,484
Land Office	74,387
Magistracy, Hongkong	82,613
Magistracy, Kowloon	50,057
Police Force	3,149,131
Prisons Department	907,652
Medical Department	1,592,377
Sanitary Department	1,114,897
Botanical and Forestry Dept.	133,705
Education Department	2,042,290
Kowloon-Canton Railway	1,021,631
Volunteer Defence Corps	161,216
Miscellaneous Services	1,477,300
Charitable Services	182,510
Pensions	1,894,000
Public Works Dept.	2,809,699
Public Works, Recurrent	1,692,500
Public Works, Extraordinary	3,667,023
Naval Arsenal Yard and Kellet Island	500,000
Total	$ 27,585,142

CORRESPONDENCE.

Adolf Hitler.

(To the Editor, *Hongkong Telegraph.*)

Sir,—As a German, who is deeply interested in the political and economical development of his fatherland, especially in the present time of crisis, I am grateful to you for the news you publish about Germany, German statesmen or leading men in politics, etc., though in the past it has been at times rather hard to find any such news or articles in your esteemed paper, how carefully one examines it. But just lately I am glad to find very interesting and detailed news from Europe and Germany. Your leading article in your to-day's issue (September 19th.) is devoted to the "most arresting figure in German political life", Adolf Hitler, chief of the National Socialists, the largest German party which ever entered the German Reichstag.

As you mention, we shall probably hear much more in the immediate future about this well-known name in European politics. That is, in my opinion, why you wished to enlighten your readers somewhat about the character and personality of Adolf Hitler. I admit that it is not an easy task to get true and unbiassed information about a man who stands amidst an embittered political strife.

As is known, every great man be he a politician, a scientist or an inventor, always has to encounter strongest opposition and criticism. The reasons are various—envy (in the first place), ambition, hatred, and others. Take for example the case, of an inventor who invents something revolutionising a whole industry. At once a world of competitors will rise to their feet and try to prove the impossibility and impracticability of the invention. Would it not be wise, first, to give a hearing before quoting the critical voices condemning him? So I venture to say it is not quite fair to quote an absolutely unknown man's narrow-minded ideas about Adolf Hitler, a personality who has inspired 14 millions with his enthusiastic ideals in sincere love of his country. Who is Dr. Lengyel? Certainly nothing else than one of the many unknown enemies of Hitler whose capability and genius would not reach higher than the height of the shoes of the great politician, Hitler. So I think it is rather misleading to cite this biography writer as an authority on internal German life.

If one wants to know something about Hitler and his life, why not read his book: "My Struggle" or what Dr. J. Stark, University professor and holder of a Nobel prize, writes about him in his booklet, "Adolf Hitler's Aims and Personality," or the book of Czech-Jochberg, "Hitler" A German Resurrection," or Rudolf Hess, "Facts and Lies about Hitler." This would be the way to learn the truth about Hitler, if one really desires the truth.

I shall not try to contradict all the accusations which Dr. Lengyel pours out on Hitler, born out of a feeling of hatred and envy which do not contain any serious arguments for a reasonable discussion. People who are familiar with German politics know very well that Hitler and his success cannot be explained by a mixture of fanaticism, demagogism and American salesmanship. Hitler has not only protected Germany but the whole of Europe against the rise of Bolshevism. This fact should always be remembered whatever feelings or prejudices one entertains against Herr Hitler.

I wish to close now with the expression of appreciation that the *Hongkong Telegraph* does not identify itself with the opinions of the "unknown biography writer" and hope that these lines support, though only to certain extent, the Press in their acknowledged aim to give as much publicity to truth as possible.—Yours, etc.

N.S.D.A.P. HONGKONG M.H.

OPIUM SMUGGLERS CAUGHT

LARGE FINES IMPOSED ON OFFENDERS.

More opium smugglers fell foul of Revenue Officer Ward and his party last night when attempting to bring contraband into the Colony from Chinese ports.

A total of 92 taels of opium in its raw state was found concealed in two baskets and an earthenware jar which a woman was carrying as she disembarked from the s.s. Tung On from Canton. She was fined $2,000, or eight months' hard labour, by Mr. Schofield this morning.

In the case of a man who was arrested with 58 taels of raw opium tied around his legs, his Worship imposed a fine of $1,000 or two months' hard labour.

A man who was arrested on the waterfront with ten taels of raw opium and three mace of the prepared drug was fined a total of

PHILADELPHIA AND BOSTON

Successes in Both Major Leagues Yesterday

New York, Sept. 19.

To-day's games in the major leagues had no bearing on the championship. Neither Pittsburgh nor Chicago were engaged in the National League.

The Phillies continued their winning ways with a 5-3 success over Brooklyn, thanks to home runs by Klein and Mallon. O'Doul hit a fourmaster for the Dodgers. Boston Braves defeated the Giants, R. Moore (Braves) and Hogan (Giants) hitting home runs.

In the American League, Philadelphia and Boston secured victories, Cochrane (Athletics) and Jolley (Boston) hitting for the circuit.

Results:—

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

New York	3	9	3
Boston	6	8	1
Philadelphia	5	8	0
Brooklyn	3	8	0

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Chicago	6	12	3
Philadelphia	9	10	0
Detroit	4	12	2
Boston	5	8	2

League standings follow:

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Chicago	88	60	.595
Pittsburgh	81	65	.555
Brooklyn	78	72	.520
Philadelphia	77	72	.517
Boston	76	74	.507
New York	67	80	.456
St. Louis	67	80	.456
Cincinnati	59	90	.396

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

New York	104	45	.698
Philadelphia	92	57	.617
Washington	87	60	.592
Cleveland	84	63	.571
Detroit	71	73	.494
St. Louis	61	85	.418
Chicago	46	100	.315
Boston	43	103	.295

"I COULD CRY, OLD MAN"

CORPORAL AND 74-YEAR-OLD MAGISTRATE

A pedestrian was knocked down by a motorists between Alton and Farnham, Hampshire, and the following conversation, it is alleged, took place:

The Motorist—Are you hurt, old man?

The Pedestrian—Very much. Why are you on the wrong side of the road?

The Motorist—I sounded my horn, old man.

The Pedestrian—You seem to think that if you sound your horn the whole road is yours.

The Motorist—There was no time to put on my brakes.

The Pedestrian—Had you been on your right side there would have been no need to apply your brakes.

The Motorist—I cannot tell you how sorry I am, old man, I could cry about it.

The Pedestrian—That will not help things. Please help me up.

They then revealed their identities. The motorist was Corporal Arthur Henry Evans, of the Royal Tanks Corps, Farnborough, and the pedestrian was Sir Hubert Miller, a magistrate for Alton, of The Shrubbery, Froyle.

This was related at Alton Police Court when Sir Hubert, who is 74, and who was wheeled into Court in an invalid's chair, gave evidence against Evans.

Hilda Mabel Blanchard, a maid, said that she was standing at the window in the servants' hall and saw a car go past on its wrong side. Then an unbrella flew past the window, and when she went outside she saw her master in the road with his head practically in the gutter.

Evans was fined £2 for driving without reasonable consideration for others.

SHANGHAI SHARES

THE LATEST CABLED QUOTATIONS

Messrs. Carroll Bros., have received the following latest cabled quotations of Shanghai shares:

	Tls.
China Finance Corp.	5.20
International Investment Trust Co. Ord.)	7.60
Cathay Land	11.40*
Yangtsze Finance Co.	6.60
International Assurance Co.	4.15
China Realty Co.	11.20
Shanghai Land Investment Co.	25.00
New Engineering & Ship Building Works (Ord.)	5.50
Shanghai Dock & Engineering Co.	90.50
Shanghai & Hongkow Wharf Co.	222.00
Shanghai Electric Construction Co. "Bearer"	20.00
Ewo Cotton Mills Ltd.	14.20
Shanghai Cotton Manufacturing Co.	66.00
Zoong Sing Cotton Mills Ltd.	10.00
American Asiatic Underwriters (Ord.)	25.00
American Oriental Finance Cor. "B"	21.50
Asia Realty "B"	25.00
Chinese Gold & Bonds 1926	64%

RADIO BROADCAST

PROGRAMME OF RECORDED MUSIC

Broadcast by Z.B.W. on a wavelength of 355 metres. (845 K.C.'s).

6-8 p.m. Chinese programme.

8-10.30 p.m. European programme.

8 p.m. Local Time and Weather Report.

8.3-9 p.m.

A programme of records from Z.B.W.'s Library.

8.3-8.35 p.m.

Concerto in A Minor (Schumann, Op. 54) played by Alfred Cortot and the London Symphony Orchestra conducted by Sir Landon Ronald.

8.35-9 p.m. Vocal Gems.

Helen (Offenbach, Herbert, arr. Korngold) Columbia Light Opera Company.
The Maid of the Mountains (Fraser-Simpson) Light Opera Company.
Bow Bells (Carter, Sevier, Sullivan and Hamilton).
Hold my Hand (Carter and Gay) Columbia Light Opera Company.

9-9.30 p.m. From the Studio.

A pianoforte recital by Professor S. Makleroff.

Programme.

1. Ballade, Op. 24 (E. Grieg).
2. Funerailles (F. Liszt).

9.30-10.27 p.m.

A programme of records from Z.B.W.'s Library.

9.30-10.10 p.m.

A Selection of Ethelbert Nevin's Music played by the Victor Salon Orchestra and Group directed by Nathaniel Shilkret. A Day In Venice—Narcissus (From "Water Scenes")—Country Dance—A Shepherd's Tale (From "In Arcady")—Lullaby (From "In Arcady")—My Desire (From "Songs from Vineacre")—Mighty Lak' a Rose—At Twilight—Oh That We Two Were Maying (From "Sketch Book")—Little Boy Blue—The Night Has a Thousand Eyes (From "Sketch Book")—The Woodpecker—In Winter I Get Up at Night—Every Night—Beat Upon Mine, Little Heart—A Life Lesson—Barchetta (From "May In Tuscany")—Serenade (From "Captive Memories")—'Twas a Lover and His Lass—The Rosary.

10.10-10.27 p.m. Concert Waltzes.

The Grenadier Waltz (Waldteufel, arr. Winterbottom.)
Acclamations Waltz (Waldteufel)
Reg. Band of H.M. Grenadier Guards.
Moonlight on the Alster (Fetras).
Siren of the Ball (Lehar-Schott)
Marek Weber and His Orchestra.

10.27 p.m. Rugby Mid-day Press News.

10.30 p.m. (approx:) Close Down.

KZRM PROGRAMME.

To-day's broadcast from the Manila station:

5.00 p.m.—Studio Music.
6.10 p.m.—Spanish Informational Period.
6.30 p.m.—English Informational Period.
7.00 p.m.—Dialect Programme—Tagalog—Amado Fernando & Dely Fernando.
7.15 p.m.—Request Period.
7.30 p.m.—"Viva."
7.45 p.m.—Ford Service Programme—Anson Weeks and his Orchestra.
8.00 p.m.—Botica Boie Master Music Series—Botica Boie Orchestra.
8.15 p.m.—Recitations by Charles F. Lindsley.
8.30 p.m.—Locarno Programme Ira Association, directed by Leon Pichay.
9.00 p.m.—Dance Music—Dollar S. S. Pres. Van Buren Orchestra.
10.30 p.m.—Close down.

HOTEL CONCERTS.

LAST SUNDAY'S FULL OF PLEASING VARIETY

A large number of music lovers attended the Peninsula Hotel's symphonic concert last Sunday night, and enjoyed a pleasing evening's entertainment. Excellent variety was a feature of the programme, which included pianoforte duets for two pianos and violin solos. The pianists in the former were Miss Nora Flint and Mr. W. R. Fleming, and their rendering of E. Del Valle de Paz's compositions "Valse Lente" and "Cortege" was accorded hearty applause.

Mr. Stanley Marechek played two violin solos, and was accompanied on the piano by Mr. R. Stupel. These were also well received.

Of the orchestral numbers, the following appeared to be the more favoured. March "With Sword and Lance" by Starke; "In the Mill" by Gillet; Waltz "Jolly Good Fellows" by Vollstedt; and the Grand Ballet "Margarita" in Faust.

These Sunday evening concerts provided by the Peninsula Hotel are most enjoyable and another is in preparation for next Sunday.

BANDITS' DEMAND

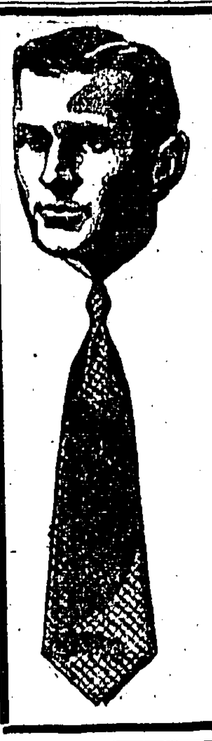
$700,000 RANSOM FOR MRS. PAWLEY

Newchwang, Sept. 19.

Mrs. Pawley's father has received a letter signed by three of the bandits by whom she was recently captured, stating that she is being well treated in expectation of the payment of a ransom of $700,000 and a quantity of jewellery and arms, which must be delivered within a week or she will be shot. They add that such is the fate that awaits her if troops are sent against the bandits.

Mr. Corkran's employers, the A.P.C., have been informed that if they do not open negotiations for his release his ear will be sent them.

Mrs. Pawley's father has asked the bandits to send responsible representatives to Newchwang so that negotiations may be entered



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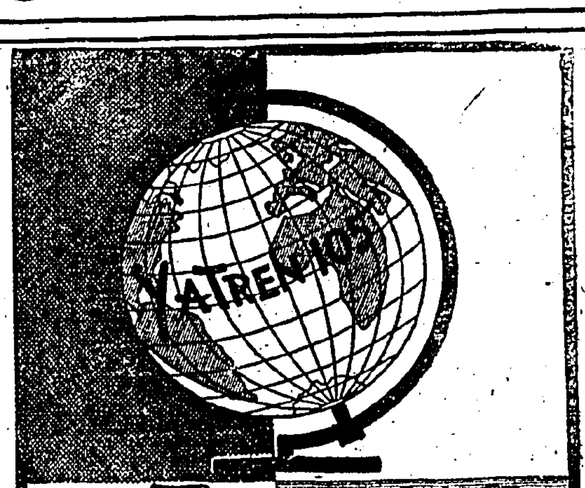

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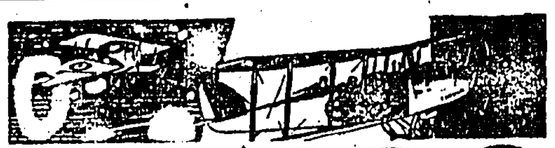

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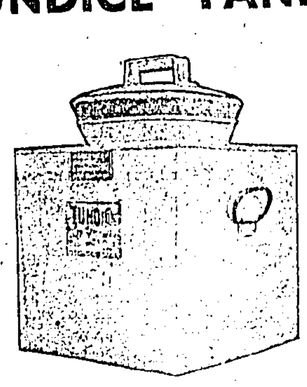

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BOWLS INTERPORT WON AFTER TERRIFIC STRUGGLE

SHANGHAI BEATEN BY HONGKONG SKIPPER'S BRILLIANT SHOT

GAME'S AMAZING FLUCTUATIONS

HONGKONG yesterday won the lawn bowls interport against Shanghai, when, after a game of amazing fluctuations in the course of which Hongkong led 18-6 on the fourteenth head, and were themselves led by 20-18 at the 19th, U.M. Omar, the visitor's gallant skipper, snatched a glorious shot with a fast drive which carried the jack, and with it the Interport honours of 1932.

The Hongkong team played well to a man, but it was Omar's steadiness in the critical stages, when Shanghai made a bold bid to rob Hongkong of the second match, which turned the tide in favour of the visitors. Shanghai has never seen finer skippering than that demonstrated by Omar.

Shanghai, Sept. 19.

In the same way as they had snatched victory yesterday, the Hongkong bowls team to-day took the second interport contest from Shanghai, thus securing the rubber.

Hongkong won the match by one shot at the last end—21 to 20—after one of the finest games ever seen in Shanghai. Omar again won the match, giving the spectators thrill after thrill with brilliant shots.

There was a large crowd at the Wayside Park and the green was splendid but the sun bothered the players somewhat.

Omar's driving shots were very deadly and he took care that when his men had their shots that they guarded, while Shanghai lost mainly through not guarding.

In the first three quarters of the game, Shanghai was outplayed. At the fourteenth end the score was 18/6 in favour of Hongkong and from the eighth to the fourteenth Shanghai had not scored. Then, from the fourteenth they took the next five with a single, two fours, a three and a two, making the score 20/18 in favour of Shanghai.

At the twentieth, Hongkong scored two, making the tally 20 all. At the last end, Raitt, with his second got a lucky wick to lay his shot and the game looked won for Shanghai, but Omar came up with a fast one, carrying jack to the ditch and laying his shot.

This was loudly cheered. Dunlop was short with his first, while the second went into the ditch and the game was lost.

Score by Ends.

	Hongkong.		Shanghai.	
1	–	–	1	1
2	1	1	–	1
3	–	1	2	3
4	2	3	–	3
5	1	4	–	3
6	4	8	–	3
7	–	8	3	6
8	1	9	–	6
9	1	10	–	6
10	2	12	–	6
11	3	15	–	6
12	1	16	–	6
13	1	17	–	6
14	1	18	–	6
15	–	18	1	7
16	–	18	4	11
17	–	18	4	15
18	–	18	3	18
19	–	18	2	20
20	2	20	–	20
21	1	21	–	20

—*Reuter.*

LOCAL MATCHES.

Inter-Departmental Games for Next Sunday.

THE SELECTED TEAMS.

As indicated last week the second round match between the Sanitary Department "A" (Hongkong) and the Small Units in the Inter-Departmental Competition could not be played off on Sunday. It has now been arranged for next Sunday when two further matches will be decided.

It is hoped to have the semi-final ties contested on Saturday October 1, although this date has not yet been decidedly arranged as yet. The final, it is hoped, will then be played the following week.

Next Sunday the Sanitary Department (Hongkong) will be represented by S. Eccleshall, J. J. Gregory, C. Strange and H. L. Lockhart in their match against the Small Units whose rink will be composed of F. H. Holdman, H. Westlake or R. Hall G. C. Moss and A. T. Hamilton.

The Revenue Department, composed of A. W. Grimmitt W. Ward, T. Tallon and E. Tuck, will meet the Police "B" (Scots) who will be represented by W. Muir, T. R. Hunter, J. C. Fender and W. McLeod.

A third match which is to be played on Sunday is that between the Public Works Department "A" (A. M. Holland, J. Fraser, A. H. Dinnen and H. H. Rose) and the Senior Clerical and Accountants' Staff (B. G. Maughan, H. E. Strange, S. Randle, A. W. E. Davidson).

The match between Government House and the Police "A" (English) will most probably be played to-morrow at Government House. The rink to represent Government House will be His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government (Hon. Mr. W. T. Southorn), J. Deakin, Capt. F. Webb and J. Barrow, while the Police will be represented by Capt. A. Ross, Capt. A. Hall, Capt. A. Hall and Capt. A. Ross.

RUGBY

KOWLOON CLUB'S WORK-OUT NEXT THURSDAY

THREE TEAMS TO MEAT ARGYLLS

VERY BRIGHT PROSPECTS

Following upon the determination, expressed at the annual meeting last week, to continue another season of rugger, the Kowloon Rugby Club last night selected three teams for Seven-Aside practice, and this will act, not only as a guide to the composition of the regular fifteens, but will also afford some indication of the possible teams for the seven-aside tournament which was introduced as an inovation last year.

With practically all of last season's players available, together with some new blood, the playing prospects of the club are definitely bright, and provided interest is sustained by the members, there is every reason to believe that the Peninsula rugger representatives will aquit themselves well.

Three teams of seven players have been selected to meet the Argylls on Thursday and the twenty-one players are promised a thoroughly good work-out.

The "A" combination is Skinner; Burnett, Brokenshire, Torrible, Cogan, Stoker and Wilson.

The "B" team is represented by Easterbrook; Ferguson, Whitley, Hopkins, Kerr, Watson and Macnider.

The "C" seven is La Roche; Gurovitch, Peart, Andrews, Fowler, Maynard, Berruex and Garrod.

All three games will take place on the Kowloon Rugby Club ground, King's Park, beginning at 5.15 p.m.

TENNIS EXHIBITIONS

Programme For Wednesday and Thursday

THE following programmes have been arranged in connexion with the tennis exhibitions to be given by E.D. Andrews and local players at the Hongkong Chicket Club on Wednesday and Thursday.

WEDNESDAY.

3.30 p.m. Doubles:—M. W. Lo and E. D. Andrews v Ho Ka-lau and Yew Man-kit.
Singles:—E. D. Andrews v E. C. Fincher.

THURSDAY.

3.30 p.m. Doubles:—E. D. Andrews and A. L. Sullivan v S. A. and H. D. Rumjahn.
Singles:—E. D. Andrews v S. A. Rumjahn

The doubles matches will be first on the card each day and there will be a 10 minutes interval between them and the singles.

Admission will be $1.

SWIMMING

CANTON V Y.M. MAY BE POSTPONED

To Avoid Clash With K.C.C. Opening

ALTERNATIVE DATES OFFERED

It is almost certain that the proposed visit of the Canton swimmers to the Y.M.C.A., on Saturday next will be postponed.

The Y.M.C.A., have written to Canton urging this in order to avoid making the event clash with the opening of the Kowloon Cricket Club pavilion.

The "Y" swimmers have offered October 1 and 8 as alternative dates, and unless Canton insist on coming down this Saturday, one of these two dates will be selected upon.

Mr. Eric Railton, the Y.M.C.A. swimming hon secretary, is expecting a reply to his request within the course of the next day or two.

BLACKBURN DRAW AGAIN

Fifth Time in Six Matches

London, Sept. 19.

Playing at home in the First Division of the English League to-day, Blackburn Rovers participated in their fifth draw in six matches. They have been beaten once, but have yet to score their first win.

Their opponents to-day were Derby County and each side netted three times. League table, revised, follows:

	P.	W.	L.	Goals. D.	F.	A.	Pts.
Aston Villa	6	4	2	0	14	4	10
Portsmouth	6	4	2	0	13	7	10
West Brom.	6	4	2	0	16	9	10
Arsenal	6	4	1	1	15	8	9
Newcastle	5	3	2	0	15	7	8
Derby	6	3	2	1	11	8	8
Huddersfield	6	3	1	2	10	7	7
Liverpool	6	2	2	2	13	13	6
Leeds	6	2	2	2	9	9	6
Chelsea	6	2	2	2	11	11	6
Everton	6	3	0	3	11	12	6
Wednesday	6	2	1	3	11	10	5
Birmingham	6	2	1	3	8	9	5
Blackburn	6	0	5	1	12	13	5
Sunderland	6	2	1	3	9	14	5
Bolton	6	2	1	3	12	18	5
Sheffield U.	6	1	2	3	12	13	4
Blackpool	6	2	0	4	10	15	4
Leicester	6	1	2	3	8	14	4
Wolves	6	1	1	4	7	18	3
Manchester C.	6	1	0	5	8	14	2
Middlesbro'	5	1	0	4	7	14	2

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RADIO MEET STRONG OPPOSITION

TWO ARMY TEAMS DEFEATED

FIXTURES AND TEAMS

In a friendly hockey match at Caroline Hill yesterday, the Radio Sports Club defeated the Royal Army Service Corps by 3 goals to 1 after a game featured by keen exchanges.

The Radio enjoyed the better of the exchanges in the first half, and crossed over leading by the only two goals scored, the marksmen being Gurbachan Singh and Awtar Singh.

The Army team offered stout resistance in the remaining period of play, though they were more prominent in defence. The R.A.S.C. goal-keeper played a great game time after time thwarting the eager Radio forwards, and in particular Awtar Singh and Kalwant Singh.

G. Singh placed the Radio three goals ahead within a few minutes of the restart, but before the second half was long expended, the Army had notched a point, and deserved to find the net at least on one more occasion.

Hanib was one of the outstanding players on the field, his work for the Radio at centre-half being very constructive.

ORDANCE CORPS LOSE

SUPERIORITY OF INDIAN MULE CORPS

In a friendly match on the Railway ground, the Indian Mule Corps won an easy game from the Royal Army Ordnance Corps yesterday, six goals to two. The Indian team was assisted by their commanding officer, Capt. H. Eve and C. C. Francis.

During the first half the Indian team was vastly superior and scored four goals to their opponents' one, but after the change over the Ordnance Corps showed more understanding and their combination was better than in the opening stages. They reduced the lead to 4-2, but failed to hold their opponents who netted twice before the final whistle went.

FIXTURES AND TEAMS.

The Hongkong Hockey Club senior eleven will meet the Club de Recrelo in a friendly match on the Club ground at King's Park at 5.20 p.m. to-morrow. The Club will be represented by the following players:

G. Duncan; E. V. Reed, J. Rodger; W. A. Reed, A. A. Dand, J. E. Potter; D. B. Evans, W. E. Williams, C. C. Francis, J. L. Tetley and G. E. R. Divett.

Y.M.C.A. Teams.

Following is the team selected to represent Y.M.C.A. first XI against the South Wales Borderers at 5.15 p.m. at King's Park to-day:

G. C. Moss; A. Tate, E. O. Murphy; R. A. Bates, H. Sommers, F. S. W. Smith; J. M. Wilson, W. J. Brown, D. McLellan (Capt.), A. Andrews, T. J. Price. Referee, A. C. Jeffreys.

The Y.M.C.A. second team, to play the Club "A" on Friday at 5.15 p.m. is as follows:

L. Skinner; H. Owen, F. Allen; E. F. Selk, D. Watts, R. Dormer; J. J. Ferguson, G. C. Burnett, G. Fowler, C. Balman, R. Baldwin. Referee, A. C. Jeffreys.

DAZZLING PLAY YESTERDAY

RUMJAHNS UP AGAINST IT

SWEPT OFF FEET

(By "VERITAS").

WITH sweeping forehand drives which found the side lines with unerring accuracy, and devastating volleys and overhead "kills", E. D. Andrews, the "almost-conqueror" of Frank Shields, yesterday hit his way through, what has come to be regarded locally as the impregnable combination—the Rumjahn cousins—, and offered spectators at the Indian Recreation Club one of the finest exhibitions of tennis seen in the Colony for many a long day.

If ever Andrews vindicated his reputation as a player of international calibre (and at the same time avenged his defeat in Hongkong of last year) it was yesterday. The occasion seemed to inspire him, and with placid Teddy Fincher backing him up with his placements, the two had no difficulty in disposing of S.A. and H.D. Rumjahn, the scores reading 6-3, 6-1, 5-7.

ANDREWS v. "REST".

The game provided Andrews with a first-class work-out for Wednesday and Thursday, and if he reveals the same form then, Hongkong will have no cause to be disappointed in him. Employing a top-spin forehand drive which gave tremendous pace to the ball, he paved the way for little else but slaughter at the net, and so completely did he dominate the court in the second set, that one felt it was Andrews versus the Rest, with the "Rest" a bad second.

Andrew's ground strokes were magnificent and in their production, an object lesson for any aspiring player. Produced with the minimum of physical effort, but perfectly timed, they sped over the net in low trajectory, varied in speed and pace off the ground, and were placed wih accuracy which sorely tried the receivers.

FINCHER NEEDS REST.

The New Zealander's quick covering of the court left Fincher completely overshadowed, but Teddy accomplished plenty of sound work in his quiet and unobtrusive way, athough it is obvious that he needs a complete rest from the game for a few weeks. He is stale to a point of losing his fine touch and control—an omninous sign with a player who relies so much upon finesse.

The Rumjahn's, possibly a little out of practice, could never reach the same heights as they attain in subduing local opponents, but they displayed their usual courage and pertinacity, and were at their best in the third set.

LESSONS OF THE MATCH.

The match demonstrated once again, the point I stressed in the *Telegraph* on Saturday last, of the wonderful value to our local players of contact on the court with exponents of the Andrew's calibre. The Rumjahns and Fincher could not help but gain new and important ideas in many phases of the game, and if these lessons are reflected in their future play, then we shall see an improvement in all three players.

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The First Bell will be Rung at 1.30 p.m.

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Members are notified that they and their Ladies must wear their Badges prominently displayed.

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Badges admitting to Members' Enclosure will NOT be on sale at the Race Course.

On no pretext will Children be permitted in either Enclosure during the Meeting.

Tiffins are obtainable at the Club House provided they are ordered from the No. 1 Boy in advance. Telephone 21920.

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The Price of Admission to the Public Enclosure is $2.00 including Tax, for all Persons, including Ladies, and is payable at the Gate.

Soldiers and Sailors in uniform are admitted Half Price.

Bookmakers, Tic Tac Men, &c., will not be permitted to operate within the Precincts of the Hongkong Jockey Club during the Race Meeting.

By Order,
S. A. SLEAP,
Actg. Secretary.

Hongkong, 10th September, 1932.

THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB.

The Ninth Extra Race Meeting is declared abandoned with the exception of the race for the Fifth Aggregate Stakes, which will be incorporated in the Tenth Extra Race Meeting to be held (weather permitting) at Happy Valley on Saturday, 24th September, 1932.

Entrance Fees and Gate money will be refunded on application.

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CINEMA SCREENINGS.

NOTES SUPPLIED BY THE THEATRES

A motion picture of particular interest has been screened to packed houses and will be shown for the last time at the Central Theatre today. This picture is the newest Universal special comedy-drama of a tangled love affair, with Sidney Fox in the featured role and a cast which also includes Frances Dee, Alan Mombray, Russell Gleason, Carmel Myers and Lucille Webster Gleason. "Nice Women" presents the Demure Miss Fox as a younger sister who poses as an expert in affairs of the heart, only to confess later that her apparent sophistication is only a pretence. And then, bringing the picture to a surprising finish, she embarks as a real siren who needs all the arts of love—and gets what her heart desires.

Frances Dee is seen as Sidney's elder sister, and Alan Mowbray as a philandering bachelor who finds himself entangled with three girls at once, not to mention the outraged sweetheart of one of them. "Nice Women" was directed by Edwin H. Knopf, from the famous Broadway play of the same name by Wm. A. Grew.

"The Strange Case of Clara Deane."

"What do you consider the most unusual event in your life?" This question, asked of members of the cast of "The Strange Case of Clara Deane," by a newspaperman visiting the Paramount studios recently, elicited some unusual replies. Amongst these Wynne Gibson, the star of the picture, said her greatest surprise came when she realised she was playing in a successful show after several years in "flop" plays that never arrived on Broadway from the hinterland. Her first stage success came in "Jarnegan" with Richard Bennett. Pat O'Brien claimed his greatest shock came when, after signing a contract to play in the film version of "The Front Page," he was told he would portray Hildy Johnson, the reporter, instead of the managing editor, which he had played with great success on the stage. Frances Dee recalled that she received the greatest surprise of her life when she walked into a studio casting office, asked for work and got it! This was in 1929, and since that time Miss Dee has been well on the way to screen success as a Paramount contract player. This galaxy of stellar dramatic talent and many other artists with outstanding histrionic reputations enact the story of "The Strange Case of Clara Deane," which will be shown at the King's Theatre from Thursday next.

"Caught."

Richard Arlen adds to his ever-growing fame as a portrayer of Western classic roles in "Caught," the Paramount talkie of life in the mining "boom" towns of the 80's which is now showing at the Oriental Theatre. This popular star, who w. seen as the secret service agent in "The Conquering Horde," as "Steve" in "The Virginian" and as the mustang-hunter in "Gun Smoke," here plays the part of Lieut. Colton, the leader of a detachment of cavalry which is sent to the outlaw country to preserve order. Frances Dee and Louise Dresser have prominent roles.

J. Weissmuller as "Tarzan" Hero.

All records for camera angles were broken at the Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer studios when fourteen cameras were used to photograph a difficult jungle sequence of "Tarzan, the Ape Man," coming on Thursday to the Queen's Theatre. This is the filmization of the famous Edgar Rice Burroughs adventure story in which Johnn Weissmuller, world's champion swimmer, plays the title role.

In this particular sequence, Weissmuller swings through trees with a herd of apes, across an area nearly a city block in length. Heavy undergrowth, vines and low-hanging tree limbs made it impossible to employ the usual methods of photographing action that covers a large area.

"But the Flesh Is Weak."

To-day's cinema says this adaptation of Ivor Novello's successful stage play, "The Truth Game," will surely hold an especial appeal for British patrons. Not only is it a scintillating comedy dealing with the life of London's "upper ten," but it is deliciously characterised by as distinctive an all-round cast as has appeared in any talkie to date, among which the British section is by no means the least significant. The story is what really nice young girls would describe as "naughty" in distinction to the more universal label of "daring."

"Robert Montgomery gives one of his best amusing performances as the irrepressible romantic schemer, while his leading lady, Nora Gregor, with her breathless charm and fascinating accent, is something quite new in screen heroines. Just the same, it is possible that British audiences will get their biggest kick from the fine serio-comic study by Heather Thatcher of the straight-talking Lady Joan; and from the moving fidelity of the creative of the pathetic old dad by C. Aubrey Smith easily his best work to date. Other players who should be mentioned for their contribution to an all-round acting achievement include Edward Horton as a jealous lover, Frederick Kerr as a typically choleric old peer, and Nils Asther as the gigoloesque princeling.

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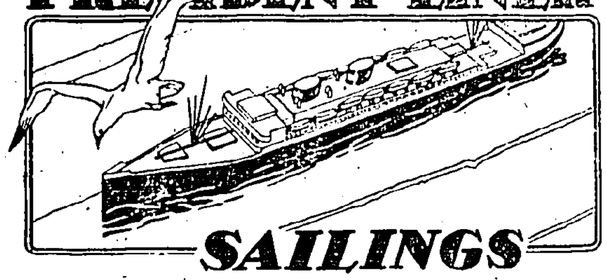

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LAX BOOK-KEEPING METHODS.

JURY MAKES COMMENTS IN FRAUD CASE

"We find the prisoner guilty on all counts, and especially recommend mercy in view of the slipshod book-keeping management," was the verdict of the jury sitting at the Criminal Sessions yesterday before the Puisne Judge (Mr. Justice Wood), when Hara Ije Tani, harbour-runner for Messrs. Gande, Price and Co., was charged with falsification of accounts, uttering forged dies (two counts) and embezzlement.

Prisoner, who was represented by Mr. Leo d'Almada, jnr., pleaded guilty to the first charge of falsification of accounts, and when questioned by His Lordship stated he had no intention to defraud.

His Lordship: Is it a false entry.—No. It is a correct one.

His Lordship: Then you plead not guilty on the first count.

Prisoner pleaded not guilty on the second and third charges and was told by His Lordship to plead not guilty on the fourth.

The jury was comprised as follows:—Messrs. J. F. Anderson (foremen), A. G. Everitt, D. L. Propea, J. Pooler, E. M. Du Roche, Cheng Ping and E. Quillan.

In the first charge concerning $1,278.40, it was alleged that prisoner, with intent to defraud, made a false entry in an account belonging to Messrs. Gande, Price and Co. purporting to show that in March 21 an account amounting to $1,278.40 was outstanding against the captain and owner of the Osaka Shosen Kaisha Co. The second and third charges related to the uttering of false impressions of the dies of officials of the N.Y.K. and O.S.K. companies. The fourth was in respect of $294.60 received by him in the name of Messrs. Gande, Price and Co. from the N.Y.K. company which he failed to hand over to the company.

Former Harbour Runner.

Mr. T. S. Whyte-Smith, prosecuting on behalf of the Crown, stated that prisoner had been in the employ of Messrs. Gande, Price and Co. for some years as a harbour runner. His duties had been to go to various Japanese boats and secure orders for wines, spirits and cigarettes. Having obtained the orders it was his duty to see the goods were released from bond and put on board ship. It was also his duty to collect accounts from the ships companies.

About the 10th. of each month he was supposed to hand in to Messrs. Gande, Price and Co. a list showing debts outstanding against the shipping companies. On April 12 the manager asked him to produce a list of these accounts. He handed one to the manager but there were no chops on it. It was submitted that the list was almost entirely forged. It would be shown in evidence that the amount of $1,278.40 tallied within a dollar, with the amount shown in the books of the O.S.K. company in respect of the Buenos Aires Maru. On receipt of the list from the accused the manager was surprised to see how large the outstanding accounts were and asked the accused about it.

Tani stated that it was due to the trouble in Manchuria and suggested that they did not press for settlement as they might lose business. The manager suggested that accused take the list to the offices of the N.Y.K. and the O.S.K. and get the companies' chops to show that the companies admitted liability. Accused came back with the list on April 13 duly chopped.

Prisoner Ill.

For the next four days accused was not at the office and was said to be ill. On April 18 he came into the office and paid $500, which he stated was a payment in connexion with the account of the Santos Maru. He later stated that he would pay in some more money on April 25. He was not seen in the office again and the next heard of him was that he was in Shanghai. On June 19 accused was arrested after being brought from Shanghai. When he was found, the books of the company had been examined and it was found that several amounts paid by the O.S.K. company and the N.Y.K. had not been paid over by the accused. The amount in this connexion totalled $294 and represented the third charge.

Accused sometimes paid by crossed cheques, sometimes by compradores' orders and sometimes by cash. Crossed cheques were always handed over to Messrs. Gande, Price and Co., so there were no defalcations as regards those cheques. After accused was arrested and charged with uttering false documents he said "I did use forged chops."

Evidence for the Crown was given by officials of the firms concerned.

Counsel's Contention.

No evidence was called for the defence.

Mr. d'Almada said it was a well-known principle of English law that the greater the crime the greater the degree of evidence necessary in order to convict. The evidence in the second and third charges was, in his opinion, purely inferential. There was no direct evidence that he uttered the chops. In connexion with the fourth, there was evidence that money was paid to Tani and was not received by Messrs. Gande, Price and, Co. It was possible that a mistake could have been made with that money.

"You have heard the case supported by evidence largely showing the possibility of error in the method of keeping the accounts," said Mr. d'Almada. "If, in your opinion, this method has possibly resulted in the disappearance of certain sums of money by some manner other than the agency of the defendant, I submit defendant is entitled to the benefit of the doubt and should be discharged."

Following the verdict of the jury, Mr. d'Almada said: "This is one of money cases which at first sight may possibly show nothing at all in favour of the prisoner, but it cannot be doubted that if certain vigilance and certain strict methods of business routine had been carried out by the firm, there would be no occasion for the offences committed by the defendant.

The Puisne Judge: "The jury find you guilty, unanimously, on each of the four counts. They have recommended leniency not on account of anything you have done but because they think the accounts might have been more strictly kept. Your counsel has said all that can be said for you. Suggestions have been made that you defrauded Messrs. Gande, Price and Co. of still larger sums of money. In passing sentence I am not taking into account all that, and it is always possible that the Crown may bring other charges against you for other sums of money. The jury have asked for leniency and I am going to pass a sentence which is as lenient as seems to me to be possible—three years imprisonment with hard labour, on each count to run concurrently.

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AIMS OF NEW INDIAN LEGISLATION

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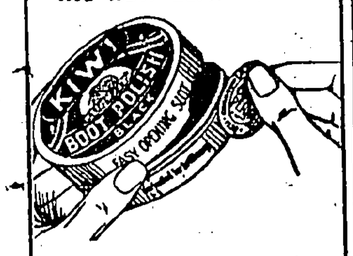

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Wong Yuet Laan	73
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Honours.

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Karagdag Amparo	81
Maria Albers	80
Florence Shook Yuen Tong	80

Pass.

Winifred Smith	76
Tsok Pih Sing	72
Fanlo Amparo	71
Julius Joseph Levintoff	71
Yu Sheung Woon	65

INTERMEDIATE.

Honours.

Lai Chung Yue	84
Luk San Lin	81
Raymonde Blackmore	81

Pass.

Choy Po Chu	77
Daisy Woo	77
Marion Tillery	75
Okamoto Michiko	74
Vivian John Jordan (Violin)	74
Alberto Carlos Nolasco da Silva (Violin)	74
Irene Wai-oi Lum	73
Maurice Rupert Leong	73
Annie Nissen	72
Dorothy Jeanne Henderson	72
Laura Li	70
Beatrice Pestonji	69
Stella Pryscilla Lee	69
Li Sui In	68

JUNIOR.

Honours.

Rachel Rego	88
Florence Kwan	87
Lodovina dos Santos	87
Irene Alice Short (Organ)	84
Yamanchi Kikuko	83
Consuelo Yu Singco	83
Cissy Leong	81
Frances Chen	81
Margaret Gladys Eccleshall	80
Choy Wing Yuen	80
Marion Catherine Vincent	80
Hannah Lane	80
Dora Chow	80
Anna Chen	80

Pass.

Agnes Leong	78
Mabel Li	77
Florence Alma Grimmitt	76
Margaret Robson Bell	76
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Elizabeth Rosseau	76
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Elsie Lane	87
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Ina Buchanan	85
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Joyce Normans	77
Tan Shue Sin	77
Betty Evelyn Longbottom	76
Bettine Beatrice Penny	76
Lily Tsang	76
Ruth Wang	75
Patricia Kathleen Sheila Pasco	75
Belinda Xavier	75
Joan Ferguson	75
Joan Gillespie Parkinson	74
Barbara Stone	74
Margery Lammert	74
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Ng Fook Yuen	70
Lorna Leong	70
Ling Sien Tan	68
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LEAP YEAR BRIDE

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enough there! "I'm going to Hollywood to write for the movies!"

The bell rang and she answered it. Yvonne had arrived, prompt to the minute. Brenda began to snap out orders to the girl.

"Remember—the cocktails in the crystal glasses. Yes, they're ready. I mixed them myself. The shaker on the tray. Yes, of course! You'd better begin right away with the sandwiches!"

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A messenger delivered the box of yellow roses and Brenda arranged them in a low bowl. She placed the bowl on the table beside the davenport, then moved it to the opposite side of the room where the flowers were reflected in a mirror.

The setting must be exactly right. Every detail was important. Brenda stepped back in the doorway, surveying the living room. A fire was crackling in the fireplace and the dancing flames cast a warm glow over the room. She pulled a chair nearer to the hearth. That was for Mr. Harris. She would take the davenport where the light was flattering and the table for the cocktail tray conveniently near.

Brenda moved to the fireplace, held out fingers that were icy to the blaze.

"It's because I'm nervous," she told herself, "and there's no reason for it. Of course everything's going to be all right!"

She went back to the kitchenette to give Yvonne final instructions. It was 20 minutes past four now.

"He'll be here any minute," Brenda assured herself. She took a cigarette from a lacquered box, lighted it and placed it to her lips. Then she sat down. It amused her to think of Dan Phillips. Headache—she had managed that very nicely! How could she bother with that tiresome youth when the great chance of her career was at hand?

"So he's given up his job!" she thought. "Won't he be surprised to hear the news. The idiot! There'll be a scene, of course. Well, he's brought the whole thing on himself!"

Brenda shrugged, smiling. An instant later the bell rang and Yvonne hurried through the room to answer it.

"Now!" Brenda whispered to herself. "Now—!"

There were voices in the foyer. Another instant and a figure flung itself through the doorway. Dan Phillips stood there waving something in his hand.

"Brenda!" he cried. "What does this mean?"

(To be continued.)

LONDON COMMENTS.

ANNIVERSARY DAY RAISES MANY QUESTIONS

London, Sept. 19.

The anniversary of the coup d'etat at Mukden was signalised to-day by special articles in several Liberal organs, drawing attention to the disparity between the Japanese protestations then and the subsequent developments.

The *News Chronicle* hopes that Sir John Simon will reassure American opinion by a "sudden access of strength at the eleventh hour." The League, it thinks, can do little, but anywise, it must stop dead short of glossing over the affair to save trouble. It would be far better to declare that Japan had forfeited its membership to the League.

The *Manchester Guardian* ironically comments on the open door with "a new disconcerting grille," namely the proviso that the door is only open to the recognisers of the independence of the Government at Chanchun, and adds that the Tokio Foreign Office cannot take its chances in the matter seriously.

Meanwhile the fate of the Newchwang captives is arousing widespread anxiety the *Daily Express* criticises Sir John Simon's apparent inactivity and contrasts the Japanese vigour after the murder of Nakumara and the Italian action when the missionaries were besieged at Lachowhow.—*Reuter.*

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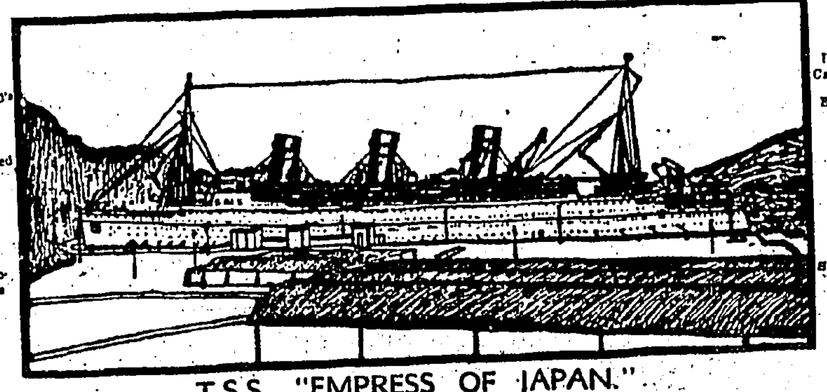

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PONY AND MOTOR COLLISION

SEQUEL IN POLICE COURT

A recent accident in Queen's Road East, when a hire car collided with a pony which, being injured in one leg, had to be subsequently destroyed, led to a summons before Mr. Schofield at the Central Police Court to-day, when the driver was charged with negligent driving, with failing to stop after the accident, and with failing to report it to the police.

It was stated that on August 30, the car was proceeding along Queen's Road from east to west. Opposite Seven-and-Sixpenny Hill the driver attempted to overtake a tram, ignoring a pony, ridden by a soldier, which was abreast of the tram. The car collided with the pony, injuring it in the left hind leg. The driver continued on his way, without stopping to investigate matters.

The defendant was fined a total of $50 on the three summonses.

Mr. Schofield stated that the question of damages, would be left to another Court.

Lt. H. R. Prior, who had charge of the pony, was in Court, and it was stated that a civil action was being taken in respect of damages amounting to $300.

TRESPASSING ON A CRUISER

TWO INTRUDERS SENT TO PRISON

Two Chinese appeared before Mr. Schofield at the Central Police Court this morning on charges of trespassing on board H.M.S. Devonshire, lying alongside the Naval Dockyard yesterday afternoon.

According to Detective Inspector C. R. Rozeskwy, a "boy" on board the Devonshire was sent to an officer's cabin, and, on opening the door, he saw a Chinese inside, with his hand on a drawer. The man dashed out of the room and disappeared from sight. A report of the incident was made, and orders were given to prevent any Chinese from leaving the ship. The defendants were later arrested as they were about to leave the ship. The "boy" was unable to recognise either of the defendants as being the man seen in the officer's cabin.

The defendants had previously been convicted of boarding a ship without permission, while the second had also been convicted of assault. The first man was given a sentence of six weeks' hard labour and the second seven weeks' imprisonment.

HURRICANE HAVOC

ENORMOUS DAMAGE IN BAHAMAS

TOWNS RUINED

London, Sept. 19.

Complete destruction of a flourishing township is a feature of the enormous havoc created by a hurricane which has swept through the Bahamas.

The Secretary of State for the Colonies has received a telegram from the Governor giving graphic details of the terrific windstorm.

The gale carried all before it. Remarkably high winds were experienced over a wide area, reaching unprecedented velocity in Abaci Island, where the town of Greenturtle Bay was demolished and Hopetown was partially demolished.

Bluff Point and two other settlements were practically ruined.

The casualties were comparatively light considering the damage, numbering 14 killed and between 60 and 70 injured, including five who were drowned by the accompanying tidal wave.

The medical position is well in hand but Government and private buildings have suffered severe damage.—*British Wireless.*

The quarantine restrictions imposed by Shanghai against arrivals from Hongkong on acount of cholera have been removed.

TRADE MARK BAIL DIFFICULTY

ACCUSED CALLED A "MAN OF STRAW"

A Chinese who, according to his legal representative, owns a unit battery factory and is the plaintiff in two impending actions before the Summary Court, to-day at the Central Police Court, before Mr. Wynne Jones, pleaded his inability to find the $500 bail required of him when he was remanded on a charge of trade marks infringement.

"He is a man of straw. If he cannot find that bail," remarked his Worship.

Mr. Horace Lo, for Fung Chan, the defendant, explained that in the civil actions, one of which would be heard before the Summary Court to-morrow, the accused was pressing a claim for goods delivered to the extent of over a thousand dollars, besides which he had been long established in business in the Colony.

The amount asked for was beyond the accused's means at the moment, said Mr. Lo, who suggested that it was more usual to proceed by summons than by the arrest and charging of the accused, which occurred suddenly yesterday.

Mr. Lo further disclosed that in the Summary Court actions, his firm would be appearing for the accused as the plaintiff, and the firm of which Mr. F. C. E. Rendall was a member would be acting for the defendants in those actions and also on a counter-claim. Mr. Rendall now represented Lo Manfai in the Police Court case with which they were presently concerned.

Mr. Rendall stated that in the civil actions security was also being required of the accused, because enquiries had failed to establish his business address. It would appear, said Mr. Rendall, that he had cleared out of the place where he had been carrying on business after he had been indebted to his landlord for a considerable sum.

"He is a man of straw indeed," said Mr. Rendall.

His Worship consented to bail being reduced to $250, to be furnished in cash or in the form of security.

The case was adjourned for a week.

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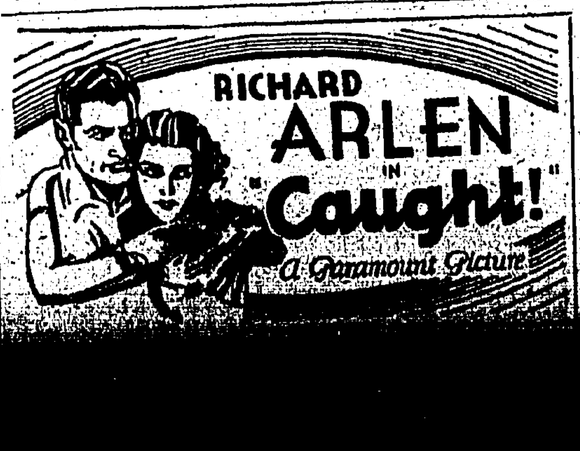

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